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"TRIBUNE'S" VIEW SHAKES CAPITAL

All Admit West's Opposition to Cannon and Aldrich, but Differ on Result It Will Have on the Party.

CONGRESS AT STANDSTILL

Insurgents, Growing More Bold with Proof of Support, Threaten to Push War Upon Eastern Crowd.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Washington, D. C., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—It is safe to say that there are more scared politicians and more statesmen sincerely anxious for the welfare of the republic in Washington these days than ever before in times of peace. The worried look is becoming universal on Capitol hill and near the White house, and the amount of general nervousness developing in the relations of distinguished public men with each other is oppressive.

This period of unrest has been produced by the tidings of the revolt of the Republicans of the west against Cannonism and Aldrichism, as transmitted from the folks at home to their representatives at the seat of government through the polls presented by THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE. After learning from these polls the extent of the condemnation of Cannon and the Aldrich tariff and the disappointment of the people of the west in Taft, the politicians here have found themselves still further jolted by the summing up of the situation in THE TRIBUNE editorial which reached Washington today.

The editorial was the pre-eminent topic of discussion in the cloakrooms of the senate and house during the day. Almost every western member of congress was armed with a copy of the paper when he reached the capitol.

Factions Differ on Result.

From the attitude of both standpatters and insurgents it was apparent that the editorial was looked upon as an authoritative statement of the causes of discontent with the Taft administration up to date, and an indication that the progressive western Republicans are inclined to give the president another chance to make good according to the western views. Both factions appeared to assume that the utterance voiced the ultimatum of the west to the administration, but the views on its probable effect were as varied as they were significant.

The radical insurgents expressed the conviction that THE TRIBUNE'S appeal to the president to rally before it is too late to the work of overthrowing Cannonism and Aldrichism will be ignored. The most prominent of the radical insurgents said he long ago had given up his hope that Mr. Taft would break with the eastern crowd, which is committed to the protection of special privileges.

The standpatters take the position that the appeal will be ignored because it is preposterous. They assert that Taft will be vindicated in the west at no distant date, that the tariff will be vindicated, and that the insurgents will be crushed at the polls in the congressional primaries and election next fall.

The element that might be described as the "conservative insurgents" is about the only aggregation that unqualifiedly indorses the editorial.

Borah Would Absolve President.

Senator Borah, who has insurgent tendencies, believes that the president should be absolved from all blame for the situation.

"I have read the editorial in THE TRIBUNE," he said. "It is a powerful editorial, but the people of this country ought to understand that this thing is no longer up to the president, and the president should not longer be held responsible for the situation. The president has recommended, in his message, most earnestly the strengthening of the interstate commerce law, the passage of a postal savings bank law, statehood and conservation measures, and has signified his great earnestness to carry out, fully and completely, the measures the party promised the people should be enacted into law.

"He has performed his whole duty, and it is now up to congress. It is the province of congress to shape these bills and pass them, and the people should turn their attention to that body to hold it responsible if these measures are not enacted into law. There is only one more duty which the president has to perform, in my judgment, in connection with the entire program, and that is, if congress adjourne without enacting these measures into law, to call the members back."

Would Adopt Stricter Course.

The radical insurgent leader mentioned in the foregoing said he disagreed with the policy expressed in the editorial.

"THE TRIBUNE apparently is trying to adopt a charitable course," he said. "It is willing to give the president another chance. It expresses the charitable hope that the president has been misled only for the moment in throwing in his lot with the Aldrich crowd, representing the interests that have exploited the west. I believe the president has been upright in his course, according to his lights, but when you find that he persists in shaping his policy in collaboration with the Aldrich outfit you conclude that something must be wrong with his judgment.

"In his words, the president has sought to mollify the progressive Republicans of the west while in his acts he has favored the barons of special privilege in the east. He is continuing this course, and now he proposes to follow the advice to 'let them yell.' What can you expect from such a policy? Personally, I have given up all hope of the people of the west winning freedom from their oppressors through any act of the Taft administration. I believe the worst is yet to come."

This radical insurgent then went on to say that he meant the worst was yet to come only so far as the Republican party was concerned. He thought the growing revolt, while it might damage the party, would result eventually in a political revolution that would bring vast benefits to the people.

Stagnation Rules in Congress.

The situation in congress as a result of the whole row comes pretty close to being a crisis. Disorganization reigns in both houses. Legislation is not moving and the president's program is stalled. Senators and representatives appear to take little interest in the work of congress. The time of both chambers is being frittered away with consideration of

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SUMMARY OF THE NEWS.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1910.

THE WEATHER—

FORECAST—Partly cloudy and colder Thursday. Friday fair, moderate northwest to north winds. Sunrise, 6:45; sunset, 5:25. Moonset, 1:09 a. m.

CONDITIONS YESTERDAY.

Temperature, max. 36, min. 19, mean 28, normal for the day 25. Excess since Jan. 1, 72. Precipitation for 24 hours to 7 p. m., trace. Deficiency since Jan. 1, .03 inch. Wind, W., max. 45 miles an hour, at 7:25 p. m. Relative humidity, 7 a. m. 67%, 7 p. m. 75%. Barometer, sea level, 7 a. m. 30.32, 7 p. m. 30.36.

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John L. Sullivan tells of days before fight with Corbett at New Orleans.
Preliminaries of Y. M. C. A. league wrestling championships decided in La Salle street gymnasium.

MOVEMENTS OF OCEAN STEAMSHIPS.

Arrived.	Port.
CINCINNATI	Algiers.
C. FIETZEN	Copenhagen.
FRIESLAND	Philadelphia.
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MAIN	Baltimore.
MERION	Queenstown.
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CAMPANIA	New York.
CEDRIC	New York.
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CORPORATIONS TO AVOID PUBLICITY?

Returns Under Tax Law Not to Be Made Public Unless Legislators Make Specific Appropriation.

NO MONEY TO HIRE HELP.

Taft Thinks Failure to Provide for Clerks Oversight and Asks $50,000; Believe Congress Will Refuse.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—President Taft has pointed out a solution of the difficulty over the enforcement of the corporation tax arising out of the publicity feature of that law. He puts the question squarely up to congress, and in all probability lets the corporations entirely out of their fear of publicity.

The corporations have been complaining that the publicity feature of the new law will lay their business affairs open to become the property of their commercial rivals through the provision of the law making such returns public records. The returns to the commissioner of internal revenue were due on March 1 and the matter had become acute and the objections strenuous.

Would Require Force of Clerks.

The internal revenue and treasury officials have estimated that full compliance with this feature of the law would require them to set aside certain rooms and employ a force of clerks, so that the corporation returns could be treated just as wills and deeds and other legal papers of record in public offices are handled.

But there is a law which prohibits the employment of any persons by the government in the District of Columbia except upon specific authorization and appropriation therefor by congress. And inasmuch as nothing was said about this in the appropriation of $100,000 carried for the general enforcement of the law the treasury officials profess to find they have no means of complying with the publicity feature.

Asks Appropriation of $50,000.

Therefore, on the suggestion of the president, Assistant Secretary C. D. Norton of the treasury department has submitted to Speaker Cannon an estimate for an appropriation of $50,000 to carry out the publicity provision of the law. In a letter to Secretary MacVeagh the president says that, in his judgment, the failure of congress to make a specific appropriation for this feature was an oversight.

But if congress does not care now to make the appropriation of $50,000 required to have the tax returns treated as public records the only thing for the treasury officials to do will be to treat the returns as other internal revenue records are treated, which is as executive documents, open to the inspection only of the taxpayer concerned or his properly authorized attorney. Thus it is now up to congress, and there is slight belief here that congress will be in any hurry to appropriate this $50,000.

Taft Tells Views in Letter.

President Taft's attitude and views are voiced in the following letter to the secretary of the treasury:

"The White House, Feb. 16.—My Dear Mr. Secretary: On the question as to the meaning of paragraph 6 of the corporation excise law, in section 38 of the tariff act of Aug. 5, 1909, I have little doubt. It seems to me that it was intended by congress that the returns, original and corrected, but not the documents and evidence taken upon investigation, should be open to inspection as are court records.

"I understand the difficulty that presents itself to you—to wit: that congress in the urgent deficiency bill of Aug. 5, 1909, appropriated $100,000 'for the expenses of collecting the corporation tax,' and that it was assumed that this would enable you to use a proper part of the sum for increasing your clerical and other assistance needed to give the opportunity for the public inspection specifically provided in the act. It will require at least $50,000 properly to index and display the returns of more than 400,000 corporations, to house them in rooms convenient of access for the public, and to provide clerks for the care and custody of them under such conditions.

"It now turns out, however, that by section 4 of the act of Aug. 5, 1882, the secretary of the treasury is expressly prohibited from using any part of the appropriation of $100,000 made in the words of the statute already quoted, 'for the employment of persons within the District of Columbia.

Thinks It Was Oversight.

"In other words, therefore, no appropriation exists with which to make the returns of corporations a public record, available for public inspection in any different manner from that in which other internal revenue records are public records.

"In my judgment the failure to make a specific appropriation for the purpose was an oversight, due to the supposition that the $100,000 might be applied in part to the purpose under discussion, and that it was, as already said, the intention of congress to make these records different from the ordinary internal revenue records and really subject to general public inspection.

"But with the situation as it is, nothing remains to be done except for you to state the case to the house of representatives, where appropriation bills are properly introduced, and to suggest that if the construction which seems to me to be the right one is to be carried into execution, there must be an appropriation of $50,000 for the specific purpose, and with a further statement that if no such appropriation is made, the only course open to those who are executing the law in the department will be to treat the returns as other internal revenue records.

"WILLIAM H. TAFT."

Returns Not in Great Volume.

Corporation tax returns have been coming into the office of the commissioner of internal revenue for some time, but not in such volume as to give the commissioner any adequate line on the promptness or thoroughness with which corporations generally throughout the country are responding to the requirements of the law. The returns go from the corporations first to the collectors of internal revenue for the various districts. After they have been entered upon the registration lists of the collectors they are forwarded to the office of the commissioner here.

The law says they shall be "transmitted

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GIVE $6000 IF NOT, CHILD DIES

Daughter of Mrs. R. D. Hill of Highland Park Threatened.

TRAPPED BY DECOY NOTE.

"Death" in Every Line of Blackmail Letter—Prisoner Confesses.

Captured by means of a decoy letter after he had made a daring attempt to blackmail Mrs. Russell D. Hill of Highland Park by threats to kill Helen, her 9 year old daughter, John H. Martin confessed to Gen. James E. Stuart of the postoffice inspectors' department yesterday that he had tried to wring $600 from the frightened mother.

Martin is locked up in the county jail in default of $5,000 bail. Mrs. Hill, prostrated by the shock, is with her little daughter at the residence of W. M. Goodridge, 817 Laurel avenue, Highland Park. Mr. Hill, who is president of R. D. Hill & Co., real estate dealers at 135 Adams street, is traveling in Japan.

Mrs. Hill was in a hysterical condition throughout the evening, and all she was able to say was:

"It's too terrible. It's too terrible."

Martin's threats to kill Helen Hill unless her mother made a payment of $600 to "C. A. A. Krugger" by order of the "Maifta"—apparently the blackmailer's spelling of the word Mafia—were made in a long, dramatic letter. The money was ordered sent by mail to "Krugger," care of the general delivery at Glencoe.

When Martin appeared at the Glencoe postoffice yesterday he was handed the dummy letter sent to him by Gen. Stuart. Postoffice Inspectors Charles Briggs and J. F. Elston arrested the man as soon as he opened the missive.

Text of Death Threat Letter.

This is the letter Martin sent to Mrs. Hill:

"Mrs. Hill: Read this through. It is important to you. Means life or death. I need money. You got lots of money. You also got daughter. If you love daughter better than money then you give me $600. Refuse to give and we kill child. You are to keep this to yourself, for we swear by the Maifta to kill child if you tell.

"We shoot child as she stand in window or door or on the street. We are near and can see girl and we swear by the Holy Maifta to kill your child if you tell any one of this or refuse to give us $600. We are bound by oath to kill child.

"You may get one of us, but not the others, so if you tell policeman or any one and any harm come to one of us we kill child sure as we live.

"We swear by the oath of Maifta, our sacred oath which we hold dear above all things, even life or liberty, and we swear by the oath to keep all things we have said in this letter. We swear to it so you can do as you feel. You can tell policeman or no send money or you can keep secret this letter and send money, which will be best.

"Will Shoot Child in Window."

"Child live in happiness in your home happiness all things. Six hundred dollars is nothing to child. So send money and tell no one.

"Refuse to send and you tell any one, we shoot child as she stand in window or on street any place. You see we are near. We see her nearly every day. Kill child easy.

"So think over very careful, and do as we say. Put money in little box, ten, twenty, and five dollar bills. Take to Glencoe. Put in postoffice as mail by following directions: Address C. A. A. Krugger, Glencoe, Ill., general delivery. You write it and we will get it and remember by Tuesday noon or by 3 o'clock, Tuesday, anyway. The fifteenth of February we mean and don't forget our warning. If you tell any one—Death to child sure. We swear it by the oath of Maifta.

"Don't Forget St. Louis Case."

"Do as we say and all will be well. No harm come to child. So don't forget our oath, it will be for best, and if you think over careful you will see $600 nothing to child life.

"Do as we have said and follow directions and all will be well. As soon as you read this be sure and burn it up. Don't forget our warning and our oath and directions and all will be well. Do otherwise—Death to child.

"Remember the St. Louis case. It will be the same with this, so heed our warning and keep silent. Send money. Burn this letter and all will be all right. Otherwise, Death to child, we swear it. C. A. A. KRUGGER."

Confesses and Is Held to Grand Jury.

Martin is 31 years old and is a laborer, doing odd jobs about Glencoe and Highland Park. He told the postal authorities he was a French-Canadian. The letter he wrote in characters which, he confessed, he attempted to make as much like Italian handwriting as possible.

"I sent the letter. I knew Mr. Hill was away and I needed the money," Martin told Inspector Stuart. "I had passed the house lots of times and saw that the little girl often stood at the window or on the portico. It looked like I might have a chance to put the thing over."

Martin was arraigned before United States Commissioner Mark A. Foote, waived examination, and was held to the federal grand jury.

The letter was mailed to Mrs. Hill late on Monday and she received it Tuesday morning. Frightened by the many references to death, Mrs. Hill appealed to her friends for protection.

Captured by a Decoy Letter.

Postmaster James Fletcher of Glencoe was notified and he called upon Inspector Stuart. Plans to capture the letter writer by means of a decoy letter then were made.

"There are many so-called blackmailing schemes," said Inspector Stuart, "but many are the pranks of adventurous youths or lunatics. This one, though, is a serious case, not only because of the anguish caused the mother but for the reason that Martin appears to have been determined to get the money. The name Krugger is that of a laborer who recently left Glencoe and by its use Martin evidently thought he could throw off suspicion.

MOTHER OF JUDGE LANDIS ILL.

Four Sons at Bedside and Fifth Has Been Called to Indiana from Porto Rico.

Logansport, Ind., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—Mrs. Mary K. Landis, mother of ex-Congressman Charles Landis of Delphi, ex-Congressman Frederick Landis of this city, Judge K. M. Landis of Chicago, Dr. John Landis of Cincinnati, and Walter Landis, postmaster of Porto Rico, is reported in a critical condition tonight with pneumonia.

Four of her sons are at her bedside and Walter Landis has been summoned from Porto Rico.

Mrs. Landis is 78 years old and has been ill for several days.

GHOST TO PASS ON MERRIAM RECORDS

Council Civil Service Committee Awakes to Life; Votes to Rehear Sewer Bureau Evidence.

PROTESTS ARE IN VAIN.

Ald. Cullerton and Others Say They Want to Give a "Fair Deal" to City Employes Hit by Report.

A city council ghost arose yesterday and announced in a loud voice that it would sit in judgment on the findings of the Merriam commission. This specter is the civil service committee. During the day it held its first meeting in the life of the present council.

The ghost committee decided it would hear for itself all the evidence gathered by the Merriam investigators on the doings of employes of the city sewer department. The Merriam report called Supt. William E. Quinn of the bureau and many of his subordinates and workers worse than inefficient. When this report was submitted to the city council Ald. Cullerton had it referred to the special civil service committee. Ald. Cullerton's namesake nephew is chief clerk of the sewer bureau.

So the whole matter of sewer cleaning graft, laziness, and drunkenness as charged in the Merriam report is to be laid before this suddenly animated ghost. But the civil service committee expects to dispose of it in an hour. It took the Merriam investigators a month to get the evidence.

Merriam Tries to Check Committee.

Ald. Merriam made a vigorous effort to check the action of the committee, but to no avail. He pointed out that nothing would be accomplished, that the committee could prefer no charges, that it would embarrass and hinder the commission, that another trial would have to be held before the civil service board, and that it was a waste of time.

"Of what use will it be?" he asked. "What will you gain?"

Ald. Clark, who had been doing much talking, was not able to answer the question He said:

"Why, I would like to see this committee do something anyhow. It never has held a meeting. What are we here for, anyhow?"

"But," interrupted Ald. Emerson, "our judgment will mean nothing. The situation will be as before. We cannot prefer charges against Quinn or any one else."

Ald. Cullerton, who was responsible for the reopening of the sewer report matter, charged that the commission's expert investigator, B. F. Welton, could not be relied upon for results.

Says He Wants Information.

"When I made a request on the floor of the council that this report of the commission go to the civil service committee I was not familiar with its contents," he began.

"I would like first to know how the information on which this report is based was procured, and second, I would like to ascertain if Quinn and all the foremen in the sewer cleaning department had been heard and given a fair chance to say how the work was done under them.

"Generally these reports have a healthy effect. Sometimes they go a little too far and do harm.

"I see that in the first place Benjamin F. Welton is given charge of making these observations. I don't know who Mr. Welton is, but I understand he is from New York. Coming as he does from that city he would not be friendly to us.

"From my own experience in similar work under orders of claim agents and various railroads, I know how easy it is to besmirch employes' characters. My instruction always was to give them the benefit of the doubt.

"I am not in favor of jumping at conclusions as a detective like this does. I am against private detectives of this kind. In this respect they took shots at the entire appropriation of the department, although this is only $100,000. Let us be thorough and confine ourselves to the sewer cleaning branch.

Sewer Cleaning "Mean" Work.

"Sewer cleaning is a work which few people care to do. It is about as mean work as there is to do. I notice it is reported that there is much idle time. But it must be remembered the hauls were long. Great stress is placed upon the discovery that some men were lying around idle.

"I would urge that a hearing be given to the men criticised that they be asked to come before this committee or a subcommittee. I don't believe it is right to say $250,000 has been misspent. I believe candidly, fairly, and honestly that the men in this department ought to have a chance to say something for themselves.

"I don't care to attack Mr. Welton or his employers. I simply have little faith in that kind of investigation. When placed on the witness stand these men always are found wanting. So I move that the report be given to a subcommittee in order to give the men criticised a chance to be heard."

Merriam Defends the Commission.

All this time Ald. Merriam was listening quietly and apparently calmly. When Ald. Cullerton had concluded, he spoke up:

"Our commission has studied all this—the whole matter. I don't see anything to be gained. Mr. Welton is a man of considerable experience on construction gangs. He has not been instructed to bring in to us any sort of evidence, one way or another."

Then Ald. Clark joined in:

"I would like to see what these fellows who have been doing this investigating look like. I would like also to have Quinn, Hanberg, and Welton here before this committee I'd like to find out what kind of men they are—I mean Welton and those fellows."

Ald. Cullerton added to this:

"I think a large number of business men would hesitate to take Welton's or these investigators' words without question."

Ald. Merriam again appealed to let the matter go over:

"We have been over this matter once, and if it is to be tried again it will be before the civil service commission. I don't see what you can gain by it."

Egan Puts In His Oar.

Ald. Egan, who came in late at this point, took another rap at the Merriam commission.

"I understand neither Quinn nor any of them got fair treatment from the commis-

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DOOMS 500,000 HUNGRY CATS

Hugo Krause Suggests Wholesale Executions of Pussies.

NO RATS; FELINES HOMELESS

Asphyxiation of Catgwanting Prowlers as Humane Remedy.

Pussy cat stock has taken a decided slump and there are now reported to be 500,000 homeless kitties in Chicago and environs, according to Hugo Krause, superintendent of the Anti-Cruelty society.

Mr. Krause's interest in statistics concerning the cat population of Chicago and particularly that part of it made up of felines of the boot dodging caste, has been aroused through an inspection of garbage boxes in the back alleys where they have been wont to forage. He has discovered that the modern householder provides his cook with an improved receptacle which does not admit of exploration into its depths by hungry felines and canines.

The consequence is that dogs and cats without homes starve or come pretty near to it, according to Mr. Krause.

Can't Earn Honest Living.

There is a pound paid for by the city where the outcasts of the dog family are given a quick and painless exit from this life, but the cats either starve to death or drag through a miserable existence for years, Mr. Krause said.

In other days, before the advent of cement sidewalks and modern flat buildings, pussy had a chance to make an honest living through hunting rats and mice, but in many parts of the city the rodents are said to have been practically exterminated.

The fact that cats are not needed any longer to capture rats and mice is said by Mr. Krause to account for the lack of care they receive.

"If every woman in Chicago would adopt one cat there would be no cat problem," said he. "As it is, I receive no end of letters complaining about the cat nuisance—caterwauling in the dead of night, for instance.

Suggests "Cat Wagons."

"My remedy is to have all the dog pound wagons provided with a separate compartment for cats and to have a general cleaning up throughout the city of homeless felines. They could be put out of existence by the use of charcoal fumes."

"EXCEPTION TO EVERY RULE," SAYS TAFT OF ROOSEVELT.

President Excuses Criticism of Own Acts by Comparing Them with Deeds of Predecessor.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 16.—Former President Roosevelt, according to an opinion expressed tonight by President Taft in an address to Grand Army veterans of the department of the Potomac, "seems to have been an exception to every rule." This declaration was made by Mr. Taft in speaking of criticisms which have been made in certain quarters as to his administration. He said he would feel worse for these criticisms were it not for the fact that in every administration, "with the possible exception," he added, "of that of my immediate predecessor, who seems to have been an exception to every rule," there were vigorous attacks of some sort.

"Lincoln had radicals and insurgents to deal with and he had the deuce of a time," said the president. "But I would be ashamed to think of comparing the easy year I have just been through with some of the years of darkness he had to suffer. I am glad to have been hammered this first year, because the next three years will be pleasant, no matter what the newspapers say about me."

COURIERS ON WAY TO AFRICA TO ASK ROOSEVELT TO VISIT WEST

Frederic G. Bonfils and Companion Pass Through Chicago on 10,000 Mile Trip to Greet Former President on Nile.

Frederic G. Bonfils, half owner of the Denver Post and the Kansas City Post, and George Creel, one of his editorial writers, arrived in Chicago last night, completing one-tenth of a 10,000 mile journey to Khartum, where Theodore Roosevelt will be asked to return to his native land by way of the Pacific coast.

As credentials Mr. Bonfils bears invitations from the chamber of commerce of every important city of the west except Denver. Los Angeles, San Francisco, Portland, Seattle, Tacoma, Spokane, Ogden, Salt Lake City, Lincoln, Omaha, Cheyenne, and Kansas City are among the most prominent.

Mr. Bonfils expects to anticipate Mrs. Roosevelt in greeting the hunter when he emerges from the wilds. He figures that he will arrive there March 6 in time to voyage up the Nile 300 miles or so and extend the hospitality of the west by the side of a desert campfire.

SWEETHEART TO NURSE PASTOR

The Rev. W. F. Bostick, Whose Feet Were Frozen Walking to Church, Will Be Cared For by Former U. of C. Girl.

The Rev. W. F. Bostick of the University of Chicago Divinity school, whose feet were frozen walking twelve miles in the snow to his pulpit at Yorkville, is happy today at the prospect of leaving the Chicago Baptist hospital within a week to be cared for by his sweetheart, Miss Alice Johnson, a graduate of the university.

Miss Johnson has known the young minister for three years, and during that time a romance has grown out of their acquaintance. She lives at 5607 Indiana avenue.

Mr. Bostick lost his toes as the result of the operation. He intends to complete his divinity schooling at the university.

CO-EDS' VOTES DEFEAT BOYS.

U. of C. Girls Follow Suffrage Play Example and Put Own Sex in Office.

University of Chicago coeds gave the men of that institution a lesson in practical politics at an election to the student council yesterday, when they shut out from office some of the most popular men on the campus.

Prominent among the women elected was Miss Anne Marie Wever, daughter of the former German consul to Chicago. The men consider the coeds' activity a direct effect of the suffragette play, "How the Vote Was Won," presented Friday night.

Among the other girl victors are Elisabeth Fogg, Hazel Stillman, Alice Hantrowitz, and Margaret Mitchell.

HIGH COURT KILLS 1899 PAROLE ACT; NO 'JAIL DELIVERY'

State Tribunal Rules Law Unconstitutional; Earlier Statute Still in Force.

PARDON BOARD'S POWER HIT.

Authority to Release Prisoners Now Divided with Governor and the Trial Court.

EQUITY SAVES STENSLAND ET AL.

SIGNIFICANCE OF RULING ON PAROLE LAW OF 1899.

The Supreme court of Illinois has decided that the whole act of 1899, creating a system of parole, is unconstitutional and, consequently, invalid.

Under this decision the parole law of 1899 as amended by the act of 1907, is re-established.

Prisoners sentenced during the last ten years under the 1899 act are held illegally and their sentences must be validated under the 1907 act by the trial court.

The power of parole and final discharge of prisoners no longer lies with the state board of pardons exclusively.

Under the act now held to be in force the recommendation of the board of pardons must be passed upon by a judge of the trial court, and approved by the governor.

Five hundred prisoners now out on parole may have to appear in court to have their liberty sanctioned formally. Under the rules of equity, it is believed their present status would be sustained.

No jail delivery will be possible under the decision of the supreme court, although scores of prisoners may have to have sentence formally passed upon them again.

By a decision of the Illinois supreme court, handed down yesterday, the whole method of admitting prisoners to parole, which has been in force for over ten years, is upset.

The power to parole prisoners no longer lies with the board of pardons, but reverts under the law of 1897, now reaffirmed as to its constitutionality, to the prison commissioners, the trial court, and the governor. The law of 1899, conferring the absolute power to parole upon the pardon board, is held to be unconstitutional on account of a technical error in the construction of the act. It does not do away with parole; its effect is to change the method.

The decision, which is considered of widest importance by judges and lawyers, was written by Justice Dunn. While it holds that all prisoners now in the penitentiaries who were sentenced under the law of 1899 are held illegally, the justice hastened to explain, immediately after rendering his opinion, that there is no danger of a jail delivery.

Court Will Not Release Them.

He stated plainly what the opinion itself indicates, that prisoners may, if they desire, sue out a writ of habeas corpus, but that the court will not release them, but will merely remand them to court for resentence under the act of 1897, which has been held constitutional. In elucidating the matter Justice Dunn said:

"There will be no jail delivery and the board of pardons will continue to exercise its former functions under the procedure established under the act of 1897.

"The act concluded the indeterminate sentence law, and provided that if the state board of pardons should recommend in parole cases the recommendation had to go to the trial court. If it received approval the prisoner would be released.

"All prisoners who are serving under the invalid act of 1899 may sue out a writ of habeas corpus if they desire, but the Supreme court will remand them to the trial court for sentence under the old law."

Others Coincide in View.

In this opinion the other Supreme court justices seem to coincide. Those who could be reached last evening declined to give out formal statements concerning the probable effect of the decision. As one of the justices said:

"Legal points, the outgrowth of attempts of prisoners to obtain their release from the penitentiary following today's decision, may come before us for adjudication."

It was significantly pointed out, however, that the specific order in the Joyce case is that he shall be returned to the trial court for a resentence and it is presumed that it is the belief of the Supreme court that such a result would follow the attempt of any prisoner now serving sentence under the same act to obtain his release.

"The entire act is made void by the decision," one justice said, "and the act of 1897 is now in full force, providing that paroles shall be granted only with the recommendation of the trial judge and the governor. The merits of the law were not discussed in arriving at the decision. The constitutional question alone was involved and on that alone the decision was rendered."

Some lawyers, including Attorney General Stead, do not entirely agree with this view. They think that in some cases at least prisoners must be remanded for a new trial.

Men on Parole in Dilemma?

The case of the persons who are now at liberty on parole, of whom there are nearly 500 from the Joliet penitentiary alone, is not quite so clear, and it is admitted on all sides that many complications may arise before their position finally is adjusted. By some lawyers it is alleged that these persons are now at liberty without authority, while others assert that the law of equity will apply,

and that the Supreme court would not consent to their being remanded to jail to await action by the prison commissioners, the trial court, and the governor. Justice Dunn is silent upon that question.

Gov. Deneen intimated that the decision would not be permitted to affect the status of any prisoners who have been released on good faith under the parole law. The constitution gives him such power of pardon and commutation that, despite the fact that the 1899 law is invalid, the acts done under it can be practically validated. He can, too, rectify the matter of the pardon board's status by reappointing it under the old law, if it is determined that the decision has invalidated its appointment. But he cannot restore salaries without another legislative act.

Some of Those Interested.

Among the more prominent of the persons convicted by the local courts who are now at liberty on parole and who find themselves in the predicament of not knowing certainly whether they will be obliged to return to prison or not are:

JOHN A. COOKE, former clerk of the Circuit court.

PAUL O. STENSLAND, former president of the Milwaukee Avenue State bank.

HENRY W. HERING, former cashier of the Milwaukee Avenue State bank.

EVELYN ROMADKA, former wife of a prominent citizen of Milwaukee.

It happened that the board of parole was sitting at Joliet upon the case of Newton C. Dougherty, former superintendent of schools at Peoria, serving a sentence for a huge embezzlement, when the news of the action of the Supreme court was flashed to them. They promptly dropped the application for parole, as was natural under the circumstances, and Mr. Dougherty will have to proceed under the 1897 law to try to obtain his liberty.

Joyce Case Provides Test.

The decision of the Supreme court was rendered in the appeal of Joseph A. Joyce, who, being on parole, was returned to the penitentiary upon the warden's warrant, charged with having violated his parole.

The point which was raised by Frank Reid, his attorney, was that the law of 1899, under which he had been sentenced and paroled, was invalid owing to the fact that it related to two subjects in violation of the constitution. His contention was upheld by Justice Dunn's opinion and consequently the entire act of 1899 is wiped off the statute books.

Most of the judges, including members of the Supreme bench, and Attorney General Stead hold that the decision does not interfere with the parole system at all but simply makes a technical change necessary in the manner of carrying out its provisions. Attorney General Stead holds that the board of pardons even will hereafter have the right to initiate the process by which a prisoner may be paroled, but will be bound to obtain the sanction of the trial court and the governor before it can be confirmed.

One thing is certain, however, which materially affects the board of pardons, and that is that the salaries of its members will be cut from $3,500 to $2,000 a year. It was the fact that the act of 1899 provided not only for a system of parole, but also provided for compensation for the officers of the said parole board, that caused the Supreme court to declare it unconstitutional.

Attorney General's Opinion.

In the afternoon Gov. Deneen asked Attorney General Stead to give him an opinion as to the scope of the decision as soon as it was handed down, and the attorney general worked over the matter until late, and rendered the following opinion:

"The Supreme court in its decision in People vs. Joyce, handed down this morning, holds that the parole act of 1899 is as a whole invalid. The defendant Joyce was sentenced to the penitentiary under said act, there to remain until discharged by the board of pardons. The court holds that this sentence was erroneous, and reversed and remanded the cause to the trial court with directions to sentence the defendant to the penitentiary, there to remain until discharged according to law.

"This decision, the court points out, does not mean that the parole system in Illinois is abolished. On the other hand, the court points out that the parole act of 1895 as amended by the act of 1897 is and has been since 1897 in full force and effect.

"The parole system as defined in the act of 1895 as amended in 1897 does not differ in its essential features from the parole system as defined in the act of 1899, today declared invalid.

Old Parole Act to Stand.

"The decision handed down today does not affect the principles of the parole system in any particular, but the court reaffirms its previous holdings that the act of 1895 is a valid and constitutional enactment.

"The decision in the Joyce case is based solely on the ground that both in the title and in the body of the act two subjects of legislation are joined together, contrary to the mandates of the constitution.

"The effect of the decision is practically inconsequential, in so far as the operation of the parole system is concerned.

"The opinion does not affect or disturb the law of 1897 under which the board of pardons was created, but leaves the board of pardons to act under the power and authority given it by the law of 1895, as amended by the law of 1897, and by the law under which the board was created.

No Danger of Jail Delivery.

"There need be no fear that this decision will result in a jail or penitentiary delivery. It may result in requiring certain prisoners to be sent back to the court where they were tried and convicted, to be again sentenced.

"It may result, also, in a retrial of certain prisoners.

"In my judgment the opinion of the court in the Joyce case furnishes no grounds for the discharge of prisoners sentenced under the act of 1899 on habeas corpus.

"Infirmities in a judgment of the character found to exist in the Joyce case constitute error only and do not go to the jurisdiction of the court.

"Such infirmities can, therefore, be availed of only by writ of error. They will not support habeas corpus proceedings.

"This decision makes it absolutely clear that if the parole system is overthrown in this state it will be overthrown by the legislature and not by our Supreme court."

Equity Is Stensland's Hope.

On the application of the decision to the cases of Stensland and Hering Attorney Clarence S. Darrow said there was no fear that any interference would be attempted or that any other disposition of the cases than that made by the parole board would be considered.

"Even if the decision authorized prisoners on parole to be resentenced," he argued, "the equities of the case would have to be considered, and there would be no question that the present status of the men would be sustained.

"I never liked the parole law and am not sorry to see it dealt a severe blow. If the law were completely overthrown it would leave many perplexing questions. The sentences fixed at from one to fourteen years by the jury could hardly be changed by the court, if the entire law is overthrown, without a new trial. It would seem that the most the court could do would be to impose the minimum sentence named by the jury. What the effect of a partial overthrow of the law would be is another question. In case the Supreme court laid down rules to determine the status of prisoners sentenced under the parole law it might not be difficult."

Wayman Comments on Ruling.

State's Attorney Wayman, who was in Springfield to deliver an address to the chamber of commerce, had this to say concerning the opinion:

"The opinion of the Supreme court in the case of the people of the state of Illinois vs. Joseph A. Joyce sweeps out of existence the state board of pardons as a board of parole and holds that the parole or discharge of any prisoner by the state board of pardons is void.

"The act of 1899, which was amended in 1897, is held unconstitutional, thereby reviving the acts of 1895 and 1897. Whether it will necessitate the resentencing of all defendants tried and convicted and sentenced since July 1, 1899, who are now in prison under the provisions of the act of 1899 is a question I cannot determine now. It does not mean any jail delivery, and those persons who have been paroled by the board of pardons, although that parole is held to be void, will not, in my opinion, be required to be returned to the penitentiary to serve another sentence.

"A more serious question is presented by reason of the fact that the crime of manslaughter was excluded from the operation of the parole act of 1897; manslaughter was included within the operation of the parole act of 1899. Consequently, defendants convicted of manslaughter and sentenced to the penitentiary since 1899 have been sentenced under an indeterminate sentence and have not been sentenced in conformity with a law of 1897, under which the jury fixed the term of imprisonment.

"That the courts have stripped the board of pardons of the power that they have been exercising is no surprise to me. I have been firmly of the view for years that this parole law would sooner of later get us into trouble.

"Having sowed the wind we reap the whirlwind."

McEwen Says Law Was Absurd.

Judge W. M. McEwen said:

"The law always has been considered unconstitutional by the best lawyers of Chicago, and the Supreme court has done a service in the interest of liberty and fair play as well as in the interest of sane administration of the criminal law, greater than anything I know of that has been done since Abraham Lincoln emancipated the slaves.

"The law was an absurdity and in practical operation it worked many outrages upon helpless men in our penitentiary."

This comment evidently was based on the assumption that the decision hit at the essence of the parole act, whereas, as stated, it was given on a technicality only.

Sees Chance for New Law.

The decision, in the opinion of Prof. Charles R. Henderson, opens the way to new and wiser legislation dealing with parole. The entire question of prison parole is to be the principal subject for discussion at the next meeting of the commission, which will be held Oct. 7 and 8 at Washington. Discussion of the principles upon which parole systems are founded will be led by such men as G. W. Brockway, formerly superintendent of the Elmira reformatory.

Prof. Henderson announced the meeting of the committee on the parole system of Illinois of the Civic Federation to be held within three weeks to consider the decision of the Supreme court and to propose changes in the Illinois parole law. Some of the members of this committee are Judge Barnes, Judge Mack, Judge Tuthill, Warden E. J. Murphy of Joliet, and Capt. Evans of the bureau of identification.

"The overthrow of the parole law of 1899 ought not to cause much grief," said Prof. Henderson. "It was not an effectual law and was not working out right.

"I have two principal faults to find with it; first, that it does not provide enough parole officers for the enforcement of the law to make it serious business and, second, there is no judicial office in connection with the pardon board; there is no process of law provided for the return of prisoners who are accused of violating their paroles."

Judge Cleland Rejoices.

Judge MacKenzie Cleland of the Municipal court rejoiced over the decision.

"I am in hearty sympathy with the Supreme court in this decision," he said. "The parole law of 1899 was one of the greatest monstrosities ever enacted by a legislature. It is a confession of the weakness of our system of criminal law. It takes away from the judge and jury who hear the evidence the right to fix the punishment of persons tried before them and gives it into the hands of a political body."

Frank Reid, who as the attorney for Joyce prepared the case, was gratified over the decision.

"Our position was that the parole act of 1899 was unconstitutional as a whole," he said. "It contains more than one subject in its body, and more than one subject in its title.

"The court has taken the same view and the whole act is declared invalid. That put the matter of parole up to the act of 1897, and when our client is sentenced under that act we shall probably attack its constitutionality."

Decision Affects Another Case.

The first case affected by the decision—aside from the N. C. Dougherty case—came up in Judge Kersten's court in the afternoon, when Assistant State's Attorney Short halted the trial of Samuel Miner, accused of attempted burglary. The state had requested that the defendant be sent back to Joliet to serve out a term in the penitentiary from which he was paroled six months ago.

The assistant state's attorney asked the court for an indefinite continuance of the case, which was granted.

There are four classes of crimes which the indeterminate sentence act does not in any way affect. They are treason, murder, criminal assault, and kidnaping.

Hurt by Auto; Asks $1,000.

Miss Edith L. Lamoreaux, 3906 Perry street, yesterday filed a suit for $1,000 against Louveau E. Schaefer, 3920 Wentworth avenue, head of an automobile company. She claims to have been struck by one of his cars.

DECISION OF THE STATE SUPREME COURT KNOCKING OUT THE PAROLE LAW OF 1899.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 16.—Following is the text of the parole law opinion handed down today by the Supreme court:

"The plaintiff in error was convicted of the crime of forgery and sentenced to confinement in the penitentiary 'until discharged by the state board of pardons as authorized and directed by law, provided such term of imprisonment in said penitentiary shall not exceed the maximum term for the crime for which the said defendant was convicted and sentenced.' He has assigned as error on the record that the verdict, sentence, and commitment are void because the parole law on which they are based is unconstitutional and void. The grounds for claiming that the parole law is unconstitutional are, that it contains both in its title and body more than one subject of legislation, in violence of section 13 of article 4 of the constitution, and that it makes appropriations for the salaries of officers of the government, in violation of section 18 of article 4 of the constitution.

"The parole act passed in 1899 provides that in the cases falling within its terms the convicted persons shall be sentenced to the penitentiary, but the court shall not fix the term of such imprisonment, which shall be not less than one year nor greater than the maximum term provided by law for the crime of which the prisoner was convicted. It provides for a physical examination, and the collection and preservation of information in regard to the prisoners' antecedents and present condition. It imposes upon the warden of the penitentiary, the board on penitentiary commissioners, and the state board of pardons certain duties in regard to carrying the law into effect, and authorizes the appointment of a parole agent for each of the penitentiaries. It fixes the salary of each parole agent at $1,500 a year for services performed under the act, and provides that such sums shall be payable monthly in the case of the parole agents, on the certificate of the penitentiary commissioners, and in the case of the board of pardons on their own certificate, approved by the governor, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

"The first parole act was passed in 1895, and the constitutional power of the general assembly to pass it was sustained in George vs. people, 167 Ill., 447. It is not sought to have that question reconsidered, and the objections urged against the present act did not exist against that of 1895. It is insisted that the present act contains three subjects in both its title and body—viz.: the sentence and commitment of persons convicted of crime, a system of parole, and compensation for the officers of said system of parole.

"The general subject dealt with in the body of the act is the manner of carrying into effect the punishment provided by law for persons convicted of certain offenses. All the provisions of the act relate to that subject and are reasonably connected with it. The principal purpose of the act is to provide for a system of parole. It is not foreign to that subject to provide, as is done in the first section, that the sentence imposed in cases within the act shall be indeterminate. It is in furtherance of that purpose to provide for the payment of the expenses incurred in the operation of the system. While every act must embrace but a single subject, it may include provisions, however diverse, which are not foreign to the general subject and legitimately tend to accomplish the legislative purpose with reference to that subject.

"So far as the provision of section 18 of article 4 of the constitution, that no act shall embrace more than one subject, is alone concerned, we have no doubt the act deals with a single subject, viz., the establishment of a system of parole, and the various provisions of the act are connected with and in furtherance of that subject.

"Section 18 of article 4, however, presents a different question. It provides that bills making appropriations for the pay of members and officers of the general assembly and for the salaries of the officers of the government shall contain no provision on any other subject. The object of the provision is to separate legislation from appropriations so that no officers' salary shall depend upon legislation and no legislation upon any officers' salary. The ninth and eleventh sections of the act appropriate money in the treasury to the payment of the salaries of the parole agents and the members of the board of pardons. Section 24 of article 5 of the constitution declares that 'an office is a public position, created by the constitution or law, continuing during the pleasure of the appointing power, or for a fixed time, with a successor elected or appointed.' The members of the board of pardons and the parole agents are officers.

"In Ritchie vs. people, 155 Ill. 98, we held that the factory inspectors provided for in the act there under consideration were officers, and that the appropriation made in the act for the payment of their salaries was unconstitutional because of section 18 of article 4. By section 16 the pay of members and officers of the general assembly and the officers of the government is made a separate subject of legislation and it cannot be included with and other subject.

"It is contended on behalf of the people that the parts of the acts making appropriations for the salaries of the parole agents and board of pardons are separable from the other provisions of the act and do not render the whole act invalid. The constitutional prohibition against the inclusion of more than one subject of legislative action applies not to the title, but to the act itself. Therefore, when two subjects are mentioned in the title but the body of the act refers to one of them only the reference in the title to the other subject will be rejected as surplusage and the act will be sustained, and where an act includes two subjects, but the title includes only one, that part of the act relating to the subject mentioned in the title will be sustained and the residue disregarded. But where the title mentions two subjects and the act includes both the whole act is void because it is impossible to choose between the subjects and hold one valid and the other void.

"We have seen that the act includes two subjects, but it is insisted that the title contains only one. The act is entitled 'an act to revise the law in relation to the sentence and commitment of persons convicted of crime, and providing for a system of parole, and to provide compensation for the officers of said system of parole.' It is argued that providing for the compensation of the officers means no more than fixing their salaries. This would be perversion of the meaning of the words. 'Provide' is defined by Webster as 'to look out for in advance; to procure beforehand; to get, collect, or make ready for future use; to prepare; to furnish; to afford; to supply.' It has no such meaning as fix, determine, establish, settle, or define. To provide compensation for the officers could mean only to appropriate money for that purpose.

"In the Ritchie case and the Mathews case, supra, the titles did not refer to the appropriations included in the acts, and the appropriations were regarded as separable and the residue of the acts held valid. Here, however, the act includes two subjects, both of which are mentioned in the title, and the whole act must therefore fail.

"The act differs from the previous act in its provisions for the final discharge of the prisoner. The former act provided for such final discharge by the court which pronounced the sentence upon the recommendation of the prison board and with the approval of the governor. In the case of George vs. The people, supra, it was held that these provisions were not unconstitutional as conferring judicial powers upon the prison board. The present act provides for the final discharge of the prisoner by the order of the state board of pardons when approved by the governor. It is unnecessary to decide whether the power thus given to determine a judicial sentence is judicial, or whether the conferring of such power upon an executive board renders the act unconstitutional.

"The act of 1899 contains an express repeal of the act of 1895 and the amendatory act of 1897, but since the act was intended to be a revision of the laws relating to the parole system, and to take the place of previous laws, which were to be repealed only to give unobstructed operation to the new act, the attempted repeal is as ineffectual as the rest of the act. No part of that act has any validity. Any parole or discharge of a prisoner by the state board of pardons is void. The sentence of the plaintiff in error, 'until discharged by the state board of pardons,' is therefore erroneous. That board under the act of 1897 has no authority to discharge prisoners, but only to recommend their discharge. No error occurring before the verdict or in the verdict appears in the record, but the plaintiff in error should have been sentenced to imprisonment until discharged according to law.

"The judgment will therefore be reversed and the cause remanded with directions to sentence the plaintiff in error according to law upon the verdict rendered.

"Reversed and remanded with directions.

"Vickers, J., dissenting."

LIMIT POWER OF CITY COURT?

Supreme Justices Take Grand Larceny from Jurisdiction.

BUT THAT WAS ADMITTED.

Olson Says Hearing of $40 Robbery Was Due to Error.

Grand larceny, being an indictable offense, the Illinois Supreme court decided yesterday that the Municipal court has no power to inflict punishment in larceny cases involving more than $15.

First reports from Springfield yesterday were to the effect that the decision was sweeping and might result in freeing hundreds of prisoners who now are confined in the house of correction.

Later information, however, disclosed the fact that the decision pertained only to the court's jurisdiction in grand larceny cases, and did not uphold the contention made by Attorney Charles E. Erbstein, who was acting for Harry Melton, that petty larceny is also an indictable offense, and that the Municipal court has no jurisdiction in such cases, either.

According to the opinion of the higher court the larceny of $40, with which Melton was charged, constitutes grand larceny, hence the Municipal court should have bound the prisoner over to the grand jury, and the information should have been by indictment.

In the case of Melton he was prosecuted in the Municipal court on an information, and was sentenced by that court to a term in the house of correction. The Supreme court ordered his release.

Olson Discounts Decision.

Harry Olson, chief justice of the Municipal court, said he considered the decision of little importance.

"Of course, I have not learned the text of the decision," he said, "but I believe it simply amounts to saying what we have been practicing, that the Municipal court has no jurisdiction in indictable cases. I think that the assistant state's attorney or whoever prosecuted this case made a mistake and filed the wrong sort of information. If the theft was $40 grand larceny should have been charged and the case sent to the grand jury.

"Instead the charge was made petit larceny and the case was illegally tried in the Municipal court.

"But even if the decision does go farther and takes petit larceny cases out of the jurisdiction of the Municipal court, it will not mean so much. We now have little finality when it comes to the trial of criminal cases. We have twenty judges at work on civil cases and ten do criminal work and then only work a half day much of the time. If the court is denied jurisdiction in more criminal cases it will hasten the time, which is ultimately certain, when new laws will give all the judges jurisdiction in all sorts of cases, as they should have."

Agree with Chief Justice.

Municipal Judges Newcomer and Going in the evening said the decision probably would not be far-reaching in its effect, as did Assistant State's Attorney Thomas Marshall, although all said they had not been made acquainted with the full text of the decision.

"I take it," said Judge Newcomer, "from what I am told that the decision only makes it clear that the Municipal court has no jurisdiction in grand larceny cases and that Melton is released because he was sentenced in the Municipal court after being tried on a charge which is an indictable offense.

"I believe that almost all of the Municipal court judges have already held that they had no jurisdiction in grand larceny cases and they only could be sent to the grand jury for action, there to be followed by trial in the Criminal court, where indictments were returned.

"It will make no difference in this practice, I take it where property thefts are involved. Furniture or goods can be valued at any amount in the information because its exact value cannot be fixed."

Says It Was Grand Larceny.

Judge Going, before whom Melton was tried, said that it was apparent that Melton, if found guilty, was guilty of grand larceny and should not have been tried in the Municipal court.

"I do not know that the information said specifically that he was charged with stealing $40 in money," he said. "My attention was not called to the wording of the charge by any of the attorneys. The theft of any amount of money to exceed $15 is grand larceny, an indictable offense, and should be tried in the Criminal court. It has been my rule not to try indictable cases. I do not believe the decision today went farther than that."

Attorney Erbstein said that if his contention that petit larceny is an indictable offense was upheld the decision will be far reaching in its effect and that every prisoner confined in the workhouse affected by the decision would be released.

SAYS CITY CAN'T PLAY INDIAN

Supreme Court Holds P., C., C. and St. L. Road Is Immune.

RELIEVED OF DEBT BY ACT.

Jacobs Manslaughter Decision Reversed; Attorney Disbarred.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—To permit the city council of Chicago to recover money from a corporation after it had by ordinance released such corporation from payment of damages sustained in performing work ordered by ordinance would be aiding in accomplishing fraud, according to a decision handed down by the Supreme court today in the case of the city of Chicago against the Pittsburg, Cincinnati, Chicago and St. Louis railway.

The decision reverses a decision of the County court of Cook county, which entered a judgment for $4,700 against the railroad concern.

The case was certified to the high court by the presiding judge because the latter believed the case involved the validity of an ordinance passed by the city council of Chicago, and should go direct to the high court.

History of the Grant.

By an ordinance passed April 1, 1872, the city granted the P., C., C. and St. L. railway and assigns the right to construct tracks and erect viaducts along certain streets, on condition that the railroad company indemnify the city against all damages that might be sustained by reason of the grant. On Aug. 29, 1890, certain lot owners at Western and Ashland avenues recovered a judgment of $4,700 against the city.

On Feb. 11, 1901, the city council passed a new ordinance providing that the company elevate its tracks and directed the removal of certain viaducts, provided that the company dedicate a street thirty-three feet in width and many other improvements and that if the company accepted the terms of the ordinance within ninety days, it should be released of all claims by the city that then existed and might thereafter arise.

The city thereafter commenced suit against the company to recover the $4,700 which arose from the judgment procured against the city by certain lot owners.

Jacobs Case Reversed.

The decision in the case of Horace K. Jacobs, sentenced to a penitentiary term for manslaughter, was reversed and remanded by the Supreme court, Justice Cooke submitting the decision.

The name of Attorney Milton Allen is ordered stricken from the roll of practicing attorneys of Illinois by a Supreme court opinion. The attorney is charged with having received money for clients which he failed to account for. The original case was heard by a grievance committee of the Chicago Bar association.

SNELL WILL HELD INVALID; SON GETS BULK OF ESTATE.

Supreme Court Reverses Former Decision and Heir of Clinton Millionaire Is Victor—V. Warner Wins.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—The will of the late Thomas Snell, the eccentric millionaire of Clinton, was found invalid by the Illinois Supreme court today. In deciding the case the Supreme court reverses its decision of a former term, when it reversed the judgment of the trial court, which declared the will invalid.

The bulk of the estate, valued at $1,500,000, will go to Richard Snell, the only heir of the testator, and for whom his father held a hatred during many years of his life.

The Supreme court today also upheld the trust fund created by the will of Col. John Warner of Clinton.

In upholding the $2,000,000 trust fund created by Col. Warner, the court continued his son, former Commissioner of Pensions Vespasian Warner, as administrator.

CLARKE-TUCK WEDDING DENIED

Friend Discredits Alleged Marriage of Banker's Divorced Wife to Gotham Christian Scientist.

Denial of a report that Mrs. Harriet Clarke, divorced wife of Henry B. Clarke, vice president of the Hibernian Banking association, has married Robert Tuck, a New York Christian Scientist, was made yesterday by Mrs. H. A. Morse, 5400 East End avenue.

"I never have heard of Robert Tuck and do not think Mrs. Clarke is married to him. I think that had she married again, she would let me know."

Henry B. Clarke recently was married to Miss Luiu Le Sage, daughter of Mrs. George Elliott Ayars, 2319 Michigan avenue.

JURY HEARS VIEW OF INDEPENDENTS

Stockyards Free Lances Asked to Explain Alleged Secret Buying Alliances.

MAKING OF THE MARKET.

Sims Seeks Enlightenment as to Method and Will Call More Witnesses Today.

District Attorney Edwin W. Sims and Assistant District Attorney James H. Wilkerson led the federal grand jury yesterday further into the intricacies of the paradoxical problem:

When is an independent meat packer not independent?

The investigation of this problem was provoked by the action of James S. Agar, an avowed independent, defending the big packers, including his supposed business enemies, Armour and Swift, in a speech at the "food purveyors'" banquet and in a paid advertisement.

That the investigation, though started by Mr. Agar, will not be confined to him, was demonstrated yesterday when Patrick Brennan, President of the Independent Packing company, was summoned to appear before the jury.

Independent Buyers Heard.

That the prosecutors will not rely on the testimony of "independents" alone to prove their status was shown by the appearance before the jury of independent buyers, as was foretold in THE TRIBUNE yesterday. These were:

Emil Ingwersen of Ingwersen Bros.

Edward I. Stephen of Dold & Keefer.

Charles W. Thompson of the Drovers' Commission company.

Other witnesses were:

Frank E. White, assistant general manager of Armour & Co.

William J. Russell, head of beef department for Swift & Co.

William G. Hopkins, head accountant for Swift & Co.

William Ehlert, department manager for Morris & Co.

Thomas G. Hoops, department manager for Morris & Co.

Edgar L. Listing, clerk for Morris & Co.

Jesse W. Barnett, clerk for Morris & Co.

Harry A. Russell, clerk for Armour & Co.

J. J. Risch, clerk for the National Packing company.

Steiner G. Langher, clerk for the G. H. Hammond Packing company.

The summoning of the independent buyers was regarded as highly important, as they are said to be peculiarly conversant with the actual relations between the various packing companies.

Two Classes of Independents.

The "independent" packers are said to be divided into two classes.

First, those who make a living by trailing along after the trust, taking advantage of the low prices it forces live stock to, and of the high prices that it fixes for dressed meat, refraining from fighting the big fellows in the buying or selling line, and being content with the "fragments that fall."

Second, those who are secret instruments of the big fellows though tremendously vociferous in their protestations of independence.

Schwarzschild & Sulzberger, because of its great size and peculiar history, might be said to form a third class.

By the proper exact classification of the fifteen largest packing companies in the two classes named doing business at the yards, the government will accomplish two important ends. The real independents may be led to drop their subservient "trailing behind" policy, and "squeal," and the exposure of an underground connection or "understanding" between other ostensible independents will be evidence of a conspiracy to restrain competition in violation of the Sherman anti-trust law.

In continuance of this phase of the investigation there will be recalled today Patrick Brennan, president of the Independent Packing company; Edward Egan of Norton & Egan, independent buyers; Charles W. Thompson of the Drovers' Commission company, and others who can explain what "makes the market" at the stockyards.

SAYS ILLINOIS STATE LAW CHECKS GROWTH OF CHICAGO.

Builder Criticises Statute Prohibiting a Corporation Owning Any Real Estate Except That for Own Use.

Chicago's building and business development is hampered by the Illinois law prohibiting corporations from owning real estate for other than their own purposes, according to W. A. Merriman, newly elected president of the United States Realty and Improvement company of New York. Mr. Merriman was president and general western manager of the George A. Fuller company and other Fuller corporations owned and controlled by the United States concern before being chosen to head the latter.

"This state doesn't permit corporations to own real estate excepting for their own use," said Mr. Merriman yesterday at his office in the Marquette building, "and this is a distressing condition for the sake of the business and building development of Chicago.

"A strict enforcement of the law means that none but the wealthiest individuals or estates can build and maintain the big office buildings, for they are the only ones with the capital available.

"Were it possible for individuals with small capital legally to organize into a corporation for building purposes, there would be many sites in this city now eye-sores, covered with magnificent structures.

"Only a few states have laws prohibiting corporate ownership of real estate for general purposes.

"The intention of the law when first passed no doubt was to prevent large religious bodies from acquiring and holding enormous amounts of real estate and to keep other large corporations from overstepping reasonable bounds, but under modern conditions this law, like many others, does much harm on one hand in attempting to prevent evils on another."

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CORPORATIONS TO AVOID PUBLICITY?

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forthwith," but under the regulations of the internal revenue bureau some leeway is allowed to the collectors, who are required, however, to have their reports for one month in the office of the commission on or before the 20th of the following month. Under this rule the returns thus far received have been chiefly those in by Jan. 20, received by the collectors for December. The corporations were not required to file returns so early, but a few did voluntarily.

The returns filed with the collectors in January are not all due in the commissioner's office until the 20th of this month, but as a matter of fact a number of them have been received. Most of these are from collectors within a short distance of Washington. There is a great deal more work about the collection and examination and recording of these first returns under the law than there will be about subsequent returns.

No Reliable Guide as to Number.

The internal revenue office has found no reliable guide as to the number of corporations in the United States in actual existence. It has been obliged to proceed, therefore, by ascertaining from the officers of the secretaries of the states and territories the number of charters granted, with the addresses of the corporations thus authorized.

In sending out the blanks for returns the collectors of internal revenue mailed copies to the addresses of all these corporations, numbering more than 410,000. A great number of these blanks have been returned by the postoffice as undeliverable for one reason and another. The chief reason has been "Party not known," at that address.

Of course, a great number of corporations have been chartered that never went beyond the taking out of the incorporation papers. Many others have been merged into one concern or another, and a host of them have gone out of business.

In spite of all the hue and cry over the tax, it is evident already that most of the corporations are accepting it cheerfully.

Cleveland Returns Are Slow.

Cleveland, O., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—A. N. Rodway, internal revenue collector for northern Ohio, is authority for the declaration that returns of statements of the business corporations in his district are being made so slowly as to require constant effort on the part of his office to hurry the tax collections.

Almost daily Collector Rodway is explaining in the press that blanks for the making of the required reports must be obtained of his office and that he will not send them to corporations affected. The newspapers are said to be as slow as other corporations.

Pennsylvania Work Is Fast.

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—Collector of Internal Revenue McCoach said today that about 20 per cent of the 25,000 corporations in the state of Pennsylvania already had responded to the requirements of the general corporation tax law and sent their statements to the Philadelphia office. He added that he expected full returns would be in by March 1, when all statements must be in the hands of the department.

Warning Out at Cincinnati.

Cincinnati, O., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—Up to the present week corporations in the Cincinnati district, which includes the greater part of southwestern Ohio, were decidedly slow in making the returns called for by the government's corporation tax law. In view of this fact, the internal revenue officials have issued repeated warnings of the penalties to be imposed for failure to send in statements within the time ending March 1. The corporations now are responding rapidly and it is the impression of the local revenue officers that there will be few derelict by the end of the month.

Missouri Companies File.

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—Fifteen hundred corporations have filed with Internal Revenue Collector E. B. Allen, for the eastern district of Missouri, their statements exhibiting the earnings subject to assessment, in accordance with the federal corporation tax statute. The department has 9,800 corporations listed in its books, and statements are due from about 7,800. Of the 1,500 corporations which have complied with the legal requirements and filed statements, at least one-half have submitted protests to the collector, and it is assumed that a vast majority of the others consider the law unconstitutional, but deem the official tendering of a remonstrance unnecessary.

Minnesota Men Report Slowly.

Minneapolis, Minn., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—A number of corporations in this vicinity have filed statements of their business, as required by the new corporation tax law, but with protests attached to the same. The responses to date have not been rapid, but it is expected that they will come into the internal revenue office with more rapidity now.

Boston, Mass., Feb. 16.—Little information regarding corporation tax returns is obtainable at the internal revenue office in this city, beyond the fact that returns are coming in all the time. "Those," said Chief Deputy Hamilton today, "who like to get rid of a disagreeable thing at the earliest opportunity are sending in their reports."

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In view of the scheduled advance in the price of woolens for next fall, the wise and economical ones are availing themselves of The Hub's great $12.75 sale of men's winter-weight overcoats

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$12.75

Men's fancy suits that sold formerly for $22, $25, $28 and $30, offered here today at **$16**

Also many lines of new spring clothes ready for those who are ready for them; the Atterburys are unusually attractive; suits $25 to $50, overcoats $20 to $45

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PERKINS IS OUT; AWAITS HEARING

Union Suspends Architect Pending Trial on Charges Preferred by Chief.

DESIGNER WILL REPLY.

Demands Board President Specify Allegations; Trustees to Consider Case.

School Architect Dwight H. Perkins was suspended from office by President Alfred R. Urion yesterday and will stand trial on charges of incompetence, extravagance, and insubordination.

President Urion's action in suspending the architect was taken at a meeting of the buildings and grounds committee of the board of education. It consisted of a letter to Mr. Perkins and a report of action transmitted to the committee through the regular reports of Business Manager John A. Guilford.

President Urion arrived at his office in the rooms of the board of education while the committee was in session. Mr. Perkins was summoned from the committee room by the president's secretary, C. B. Wilson, and given the notice of suspension.

Notice of Suspension.

The notice was as follows:

"At a meeting of the committee on buildings and grounds held Feb. 2, 1910, the following action on unanimous vote was taken:

"The matter of changes in the architect's department was discussed by the committee in executive session, after which it was ordered that the president of the board of education be directed to request the resignation of Mr. Perkins, architect, and in the event that he does not resign, that the president be authorized to take such steps as may be necessary to remove him.

"By direction thereof, a day or two later, I presented a copy of the prevailing motion and requested your resignation, which was peremptorily refused. Believing it to be the sense of the committee that you should have full time to consider the request, I refrained from further action until today, when I must report to the committee, which is the next regular meeting.

"You are hereby suspended from the office of architect of the board of education, pending a trial, the day of which trial will be set by the trial committee not less than ten days hence, of which date you will be duly informed, this suspension being under rule 130 governing the board of education.

"The grounds of your suspension and charges which will be based thereon are:

"1. Incompetency in the line of work as architect for the board of education.

"2. Extravagance in expenditures, maintenance, and operation.

"3. Insubordination, general in its terms.

"Until further order of the board, you stand suspended."

Perkins and Urion Meet.

Mr. Perkins at once sought an audience with President Urion.

"I acknowledge the receipt of your letter," he said. "Am I suspended instanter, or shall I make my report to the committee?"

"Make your report. Consider the suspension to take effect at 5 o'clock," Mr Urion replied.

"I have read your notice of suspension, Mr. Urion, and I do not consider the charges as specific enough," said Mr. Perkins. "Under the rules the charges should be specific, and I ask they be made so that I may make suitable defense."

"You do not consider these charges sufficient?" asked Mr. Urion. "Well, you may write me a letter, if you desire, and ask all the questions you want to."

"I do not consider them specific, and I will write you a letter tomorrow asking that every charge to be made against me be specified as to time and place," promised the architect before returning to the committee room.

Listens to Urion's Statement.

There he listened to Mr. Urion's communication, read by Mr. Guilford, and as follows:

"The president of the board, having been directed by your committee at its last meeting, Feb. 2, 1910, to request the resignation of the board architect, Mr. Dwight H. Perkins, and further directing if such request of resignation be disregarded, thereupon to suspend said architect; begs to report that within a reasonable time after such meeting the president of the board requested the resignation of Mr. Perkins, which was peremptorily refused.

"Believing it to be the sense of your committee that time for full reflection and consideration should be granted to said architect, I refrained from taking further action as authorized by your committee until today, just prior to the time set for your regular meeting, when the architect was suspended under written charges, which charges are herewith submitted to you."

Refuses to Discuss Case.

President Urion declined to discuss his action after the meeting.

"I shall have absolutely nothing to say until Mr. Perkins' trial comes up," he declared. "I must decline to answer any questions. This is a matter of delicacy with me and I shall discuss it no further."

Later in the day President Urion appointed Arthur F. Hussander, chief assistant to the architect, to the position of acting architect pending the outcome of Mr. Perkins' trial.

After the committee adjourned Mr. Perkins retired to his office and prepared to turn over his work to Mr. Hussander.

"Mr. Urion has assured me that I may have access to all the records of the architect's department to prepare my defense," he said. "He also has said I might have legal counsel at my trial. That's all I want. I'm going to put up one of the hottest fights the board of education ever has seen. I shall write a letter to President Urion tomorrow asking for more specific charges and repeating my demand for an open trial."

The question of the trial will be the paramount issue before the board at its meeting next Wednesday.

Denied They Railroaded Haskell.

Mr. Perkins replied to William Haskell's charge that the architect had helped "railroad" him out of his position as superintendent of construction two years ago.

"I filed specific charges against Haskell, but I had nothing to do with his trial as far as it being secret is concerned," declared Mr. Perkins. "I do not remember that he asked for an open trial."

OCCULT AGENT TO FIND COHEN?

Doctor Investigating Disappearance Is Encouraged by Results to Make a New Trial.

Dr. Robert Scheerin, the Dayton, O., physician who has been investigating the disappearance of Moses Cohen, the missing clothing merchant, says he has indisputable evidence that the Dayton man was here, as described by the clairvoyant, Mrs. Edith McCrosson.

Dr. Scheerin uses hypnotism and suggestive therapeutics in his practice. He said the noise and thought waves interfered with his effort to get a further line on Mr. Cohen's whereabouts and he will try again at Dayton, with Mrs. Edith McCrosson as the hypnotic subject.

Mrs. McCrosson, the doctor said, described with accuracy the hotel and physical surroundings in the first sitting, although a stranger to Cohen and the hotel.

Women Discuss Court Work.

Methods of procedure in court practice were discussed by members of the American Beauty club in the La Salle hotel last night. The organization is composed of members of women's clubs, societies, and civic clubs of Chicago.

Young Women Wear Colonial Costume at Club Tea.

Mrs. L. E. Yager Had Plan With Her Hoops Shown

Mrs. George W. Trout

Mrs. Francis Low

Mrs. F. P. Flitcraft, "Sugar and Spice and Everything Nice"

The appearance of Mrs. Roland B. Flitcraft as Father Knickerbocker, clad in yellow satin knee breeches and wearing powdered wig and colonial coat of heavy cream satin, was a unique feature of the colonial tea given at the Oak Park club yesterday afternoon.

One hundred of the members and guests wore Martha Washington gowns, but it remained for Mrs. Louis E. Yager to put the finishing touch on the program. She wore a green gown with many ruffles which belonged to her great-grandmother. With this costume she wore red pantalets with frills of white lace and hoops.

A group of girls led by Miss Eloise Erwin gave the minuet in costume. They were Misses Florence Butler, Margaret Leonard, Helen Woodcock, Alice Ford, Florence Ayers, Ethel Updike, Ethel Jones, Armande Burn, Caroline Wilbur, Frances Wilson, and Elizabeth Wilson.

WEDS FORMER WIFE AGAIN?

Arthur M. Morse Believed to Have Re-entered Matrimony.

LICENSE TO MARRY ISSUED.

Suicide of Girl in His Room at Hotel Is Recalled.

Several facts indicated yesterday that Arthur M. Morse and his former wife have effected a reconciliation and remarried. Miss Lillian Zeller ended her life by hanging in Morse's room in the Palmer house on Dec. 16.

The incident that pointed most strongly to a reconciliation was the issuance of a marriage license to Arthur M. Morse, 50 years old, and to Agnes S. Morse, 45. The names and ages are identical with those of the man and woman parted by the court.

Morse, who is the Chicago representative of a Harrisburg, Pa., foundry and machine works, was not at his office in the Monadnock building in the afternoon. Neither had he been in his apartments at the Palmer house up to a late hour at night.

Mrs. Morse Is Out, Too.

At Mrs. Morse's apartments at 4212 Greenwood avenue it was learned she told Miss Bessie Van Valdenburg, who occupied the opposite apartment and with whom she has been staying, that "she was going out to lunch and would attend a matinee in the afternoon." Up to a late hour she still was absent.

Three years ago Mrs. Morse surprised her friends by learning stenography and going into her husband's office as a typist, supplanting a young woman whom she suspected of trying to alienate her husband's affections. She "did not care to take any chances of such a turn of affairs," she is reported to have said in explanation of her course.

Miss Zeller a Stenographer.

The body of Miss Zeller was found by Morse when he returned to his room in the hotel in the evening. He said she came from Grand Rapids, Mich., and had been working as a stenographer on Dearborn street.

A note in her handwriting contained reference to "a matrimonial mistake."

TAKES GOVERNMENT TO TASK FOR HIGH COST OF LIVING.

S. B. Shilling Fixes Blame for Increased Prices in Address Before Butter and Egg Board Members.

The high cost of living and the shortage of farm products were attributed to the United States government's making extravagant appropriations instead of caring for its farm resources, by S. B. Shilling, editor of the Chicago Produce, in an address at the fifth annual banquet of the Chicago butter and egg board at the La Salle hotel last night.

"The tariff, gold output, high rentals, and a dozen other reasons have been advanced for the high cost of living, but they are all wrong," he said. "The government alone is to blame. As long as our government spends $150,000,000 for the support of our army and navy and but $15,000,000 for other necessaries, including farm conservations, we will have high prices and a shortage of products."

Other speakers who supported his suggestions were former President F. A. Kelly, Charles E. McNeill, David Levy, Charles S. Borden, and T. F. Gallagher.

G. W. Bull, president of the board, presided at the dinner.

GET PERMIT FOR SKYSCRAPER.

Work of Erecting New Bank and Office Building in Monroe Street Will Begin in Few Weeks.

The city building department issued a permit yesterday for the construction of the new bank and office building of the Harris Trust company, 140-146 Monroe street, on the south side of the thoroughfare, between Clark and La Salle streets.

The building will cover the entire lot, 90x183 feet, will be nineteen stories high, and will cost $1,500,000. Work will begin in a few weeks. The plans were prepared by Shepley, Rutan & Coolidge.

The ground, purchased last summer from John Borden for about $1,000,000, is occupied by the six story Taylor building, concerning the ownership of which there has been much litigation.

FUGITIVE BOY ENDS FLIGHT.

Son of A. A. Goodrich, Accused of Robbing Women in Chicago, Surrenders to Ohio Police.

Lloyd Goodrich, 19 years old, son of A. A. Goodrich, 1500 West Madison street, gave himself up to the police at Piqua, O., yesterday and said he was wanted in Chicago for jumping a bail bond of $5,000.

His father went to the Ohio city after him. Goodrich was arrested a few months ago on charges of robbery and assault with intent to kill.

Mrs. Bernice Voorhees, 1748 Ogden avenue, and her niece, Miss Margaret Lexius, alleged that he held them up with a revolver in their residence and robbed them of jewelry.

FLOUR GOOD; MUST BE BETTER.

Therefore Chicago Dealers Will Inaugurate New Method of Certifying to Inspection.

The flour which goes into the bread which Chicagoans eat is good, but it should be better. This is the opinion held by members of the Flour Men's club, who dined and talked "shop" at the Great Northern hotel last night. Therefore there will be a change in the flour inspection used by the Chicago board of trade. Where flour inspectors now issue a certificate as to the condition of shipments upon arrival, hereafter they will be required to attach an official seal also as further evidence of thorough inspection and a statement of condition.

LOVE LEADS TO INSANITY?

Upon This Question Hangs Fate of Man Tried for Murder.

DEFENSE SAYS IT DOES.

Dr. Haldane Cleminson Witness for Thomas Katsones, the Accused.

On the question whether or not overpowering love can cause insanity hangs the fate of Thomas Katsones, on trial in Judge Tuthill's court for the murder of Miss Victoria Kawalec, a Polish girl, with whom he was infatuated. At adjournment yesterday all the evidence for the state and the defense had been introduced. Arguments will be started this morning, and it is probable the case will go to the jury today.

Katsones was placed on the stand in his own defense. Replies to questions put by both the state and the defense were met by the reply: "I do not remember."

He said he had a confused idea of things prior to and following the shooting in a Milwaukee avenue car last summer, when Miss Kawalec met her death and when he attempted to kill himself.

The defense has been that Katsones was temporarily insane.

Dr. James Whitney Hall, a Chicago physician, was placed on the stand by the state as an expert witness, and an attempt was made through his testimony to establish the fact that Katsones was not insane.

Love and Hate Closely Related.

Dr. Hall said that love and hate were closely related, but that neither of them could be classed as insanity. He said he held radical ideas with reference to the action of love. He said it was the "product of agitation of the nerve cells set up by an external impulse."

The state put a hypothetical question describing the circumstances surrounding the shooting and the attempted suicide.

"Does that illustrate insanity?"

"No, it simply illustrates a transitional frenzy."

"What do you mean by a 'transitional frenzy'?"

"A transitional frenzy is a paroxysm which may be experienced by a sane person, or by an insane person. The insanity of it, or the sanity of it often depends upon the circumstances of the individual's life. If Judge Tuthill should suddenly jump on a pony and ride yelling through the streets, shooting a revolver, it certainly would show an insane transitional frenzy, but if a cowboy did it it would be a sane transitional frenzy."

Cleminson Called as Witness.

Spectators were surprised when Dr. Haldane Cleminson was called as a witness in the case. Cleminson, who was convicted of the murder of his wife, is being held in the county jail pending the outcome of a motion for a new trial.

"How did Katsones act when he was brought into the county jail?" he was asked.

"He was violent and struggled so that we had to put him in a straitjacket. He repeatedly tore the bandages off his eyes."

"Did he talk about the case or reply to questions?"

"He was delirious."

Sisters of the murdered girl were called to the stand again and gave opinions affirming their belief in Katsones' sanity.

"COFFEE JOHN" IS A BANKRUPT.

John Prosser, Hot Free Lunch Man, Who Invested in Amusement Park, Files Petition.

John Prosser, better known as "Coffee John," a saloonkeeper on Fifth avenue, filed a bankruptcy petition yesterday. Prosser was prosperous up to the time he purchased an interest in Palos Park a few years ago. This resulted in heavy losses. "Coffee John" was known as the originator of serving hot free lunch on plates, and this fact alone brought him several patrons. He has been in ill health for the last two years. In his petition he rated his liabilities at $3,331 and his assets at $3,140. Prosser lives at 521 Grant place.

UMPLEBY TO INSTRUCT CHINESE

Professor Is Second Chosen of Three Asked For by the Imperial University at Peking.

The second of three scientists wanted from the University of Chicago for the Imperial university at Peking, China, was selected yesterday. He is J. B. Umpleby, nominated by Prof. Rollin D. Salisbury, head of the department of geography. Mr. Umbleby will give instruction in mining and economic geology, his special problem being to show the Chinese how their unlimited mineral resources may be opened.

HOLDUP BAND WORKS FAST

Enters Saloon and Two Stores Within Course of Hour.

THREE CAUGHT BY POLICE.

Arrests Made After Officers Throw Dragnet Around District.

Four robbers held up three places last night in the West Chicago avenue district within the course of an hour. In the same time members of Assistant Chief Schuettler's "northwest flying squadron" captured three of the thugs. They were identified by the victims.

About 10 o'clock the West Chicago avenue police received a report that Henry Cole's saloon at Chicago and Oakley avenues had been held up and robbed after the proprietor and four patrons had been locked in the icebox. Fifteen minutes later there came a telephone message that Harper Bros.' grocery store at West Huron and Lincoln streets had been entered by four men and robbed of $170 and a diamond ring.

Bruno Zelnio, owner of a butcher shop at 1619 West Erie street, was the last victim.

Inspector Details Men on Cases.

Inspector Healy was at the station when the reports came in and he detailed ten detectives and twenty policemen to search the district.

Policeman Christ Hughes was passing Zelnio's place, where he found two men inside and two on watch. When the latter saw the officer they ran. The two others started to escape, but were stopped by Hughes, who found the butcher crouching behind a barrel. The proprietor said the men had held him up at the point of guns and robbed him of $20. The two were searched and on one of them was found $20 and several of Zelnio's billheads. The prisoners gave the names of Christ Jansen and Ole Pederson.

The two men who had run were later captured and proved to be Arthur Carter Cassidy, alias Young Hi-Hi, who is also known as Young Simmons, together with Peter O'Toole, who has just been released from the Joliet penitentiary. The inspector and several of his men were forced to draw their revolvers before the men would surrender.

Carter, O'Toole, and Jansen were identified by Cole and Zelnio.

Force Customers Into Ice Box.

The four men entered Cole's saloon and, drawing revolvers, drove the proprietor and the four patrons into an icebox after taking $12 from the cash register and searching the patrons.

They took a silver watch and a gold one from Peter Alt, 2301 West Chicago avenue. Julius Thorp, 2121 Chicago avenue, was robbed of a gold watch valued at $40, and the other two men, Fred Smith, 2308 West Chicago avenue, and Fred Geisle, 5101 Grand avenue, were robbed of some small change. The robbers helped themselves to cigars and also took a bottle of whisky.

Raymond Levy, 18, of 1424 Edgemont avenue, was shot in the right leg while at Edgemont avenue and Laflin street, and John Ryan, a companion, was captured, by Policemen O'Leary and Brophy. They are charged with several robberies. The policemen found the men, who were wanted on suspicion, and when they fled opened fire.

Entrance was gained to the residence of James Hoffman, 942 Newport avenue, in the afternoon by burglars who forced open the front door, and jewelry valued at $100 was stolen.

AWARDED $12,500; HOLDS JOB.

Volberg Bernadette, Victorious in Traction Suit, Will Take Vacation and Then Resume Work.

"Twelve thousand five hundred dollars is a large amount of money," Miss Volberg Bernadette, a maid at the residence of Attorney M. B. Sterrett, 1567 Oak avenue, Evanston, said yesterday. "When I get the money I am going to take a vacation and visit my native land, Sweden."

The girl had been informed of the verdict of a jury in Municipal Judge Eberhardt's court in her personal injury suit against the Chicago Consolidated Traction company. The accident happened July 20, 1907, at Carmen and Evanston avenues.

"No, I shall not give up my position as maid," Miss Bernadette added. "I like my work and know of no reason why I should not continue. I am going to visit Sweden and then will return to Evanston."

BOY'S MOTHER IS A MYSTERY.

Mrs. Mary Howlett Says She Does Not Know Parent of Baby Whom Mrs. Long Seeks.

The denial of Mrs. Mary Howlett, 14 West Chestnut street, that she knew the mother of Ralph Furlong or "Long," the 2 year old boy being contested for before Judge Kavanaugh, made the case more complicated. She said she would get the boy back.

Mrs. Henry E. Long, 2302 Indiana avenue, who is seeking to regain possession of the boy by habeas corpus proceedings, said Mrs. Howlett told her he was the son of Mrs. Constance Furlong, whom Mrs. Long believed to be the daughter of Mrs. Howlett. Mrs. Long lost possession of the boy last June. She said she would fight for his custody against any person who could not prove a right to him though parentage.

The boy is said to be the son of "Nick Furlong" of Terre Haute, Ind. He was born in a hospital in that city, it is said, and was hidden by friends of Mrs. Howlett.

FIREMEN FORCED TO LEAP FOR LIVES

Hemmed In by Flames While on Second Story of Burning Building.

HOTEL GUESTS ROUTED.

Blaze at Kinzie and North State Streets Burns Mail Wagons; Damage $100,000.

Their retreat cut off by a sheet of flame below them, six firemen on the second story window ledges of a burning building at North State and Kinzie streets last night were compelled to jump to the pavement. The leap was seen by hundreds of persons in the street, and a shout went up when Capt. Henry P. Wendt, the last to leave the position, dropped into outstretched arms.

The fire is thought to have started on the second floor of the three story building at 5-15 Kinzie street. A moment after it was discovered guests in the Lakeside hotel at the State street corner fled from their rooms. The building where the flames broke out was occupied by Seger & Meckel, contractors for the United States mail delivery in the city; the F. A. Tarbell Manufacturing company, and Schueler & Mueller, art glass manufacturers, and the Raydith Perfume company.

Stablemen Rescue the Horses.

When the first firemen arrived flames were shooting out of the top floor and stablemen were at work rescuing the horses in the basement. Wilse Howard, the night stable foreman, directed the work of rescuing the animals.

The blaze was discovered by Policeman Julius Rohrhof, who was passing, and after sounding an alarm he hurried through the corridors of the hotel and shouted a warning. Mrs. Amelia Schillinger was found overcome in her room and was carried to a nearby drug store, where she was revived.

While the fire was at its height members of engine companies 11 and 42 were ordered into the structure. Capt. Wendt and five men of engine No. 98 were sent up a ladder that reached to the third floor. It was when they had reached the second story that Chief Horan saw their danger and called to them.

"Look out there, men," he roared. "You can't get in through the windows. The second floor is giving away. Come down."

Jump Through the Flames.

Harry Pond was the first to shoot through the flame that reached out below him and he was quickly followed by John Riley, Joseph Puetz, Harry Riets, Patrick Navin, and the captain. All suffered painful bruises, but stuck to their post until the fire was extinguished.

Many firemen were in danger when the walls fell. J. Hanrahan of engine company 98 suffered a broken rib, but was not dangerously hurt.

The flames were fought from the river side by the fireboat Graeme Stewart.

The damage is estimated at about $100,000. It is believed that more than twenty heavy mail wagons were destroyed. Their loss, it is said, will not interfere with the delivery of mails today.

"The fire was a bad one, and although we will be crippled I feel sure that we will not fail in the regular deliveries. I haven't any idea as to what was responsible for the blaze, and don't know how many wagons were destroyed," said H. C. Seger.

Traffic on the North State street car line was blocked and the cars were switched over to the Clark street tracks until early this morning.

CARDS ENDED TALKING AS ART?

Dr. Leslie W. Sprague Says in Lecture They Have Proved Fatal to Conversation in America.

"It was the deck of cards that made conversation a dead art in America," Dr. Leslie W. Sprague, lecturer for the Brooklyn Ethical society, said last evening in an address on "Duties to Progress" before the Central alliance and the South Side Suffrage association at Steinway hall.

Dr. Sprague said he had no objections to cards in themselves, but rather to their power to entertain at the cost of betterment. He prophesied that the next generation would see a complete reform, public discussions taking the place of lectures, and church sermons giving way to something after the order of the prayer meeting.

"There is the duty of non-parenthood," he continued, "which is as important as that of parenthood. The entire community is parent to the coming generation and is bound by duty to remove, so far as possible, all influences that will harm."

TYPHOID EPIDEMIC IN SUBURBS.

Strikes Evanston, Lake Forest, Highland Park, and Fort Sheridan—Bad Water Blamed.

Cities and towns along the north shore are in the grip of the annual typhoid fever epidemic. Cases of this disease are reported in almost every community between Evanston and Fort Sheridan, and the physicians blame the bad water.

Three cases within the last two days have been reported in Evanston. Miss Margaret Pritchard and Minnie Buerstetta at Northwestern university were taken to the Evanston hospital Tuesday.

Conditions are reported to be worse in Highland Park, Lake Forest, and Fort Sheridan. The absence of filters at pumping stations is given as one of the causes.

HAYMES GIVES DIVORCE TIPS.

Advises Friend in Suit as an Authority on Feminine Cruelty, Based on Own Litigation.

Repeated cruelty on the part of his wife, according to Albert J. John, impelled him to seek the advice of Attorney David Fletcher Haymes, who by his own testimony in his suit against Mary E. Haymes, can qualify as an expert on feminine cruelty.

He advised John to sue and the proceedings were started yesterday in the Supreme court. The plaintiff says his wife struck him over the head with a china doll, breaking his glasses and cutting his face.

Other alleged acts of cruelty were being pushed against a stove and being thumped with an ironing board.

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MISS CHICAGO TURNS FARMER

Will Plant Oats and Nursery Stock on Old Gage Property.

SEES WAY TO AID PARKS.

One Policeman Dismissed from Force; Six Are Fined.

Chicago, a corporation of 2,000,000, is to engage in farming this spring and raise oats on 300 acres of the famous Gage farm, near Riverside. Thirty-seven acres of the tract are to be set aside for a nursery to supply the small parks with shrubs and trees.

"At the present time," said Ald. B. W. Snow, chairman of the finance committee, yesterday, "the farm is leased for $400 a year. The city pays $3,500 in taxes on it. Manifestly it is a poor financial proposition. I find that the lease can be canceled in the first three or the last three months of the year.

"I believe it a wise policy if the city gives over a portion of this to the small parks commission and makes use of the other part for municipal purposes."

Ald. Snow, who raised 20,000 bushels of oats on his farm last year, figures that if 200 acres are planted in oats the city ought to get a yield of 3,500 bushels, or enough to feed twenty-five horses in the possession of the city for some time.

Ald. Bellfuss the Originator.

Ald. Albert W. Bellfuss, chairman of the small parks commission, is the originator of the plan for turning the farm over to municipal purposes, especially for the small parks' nursery.

Relative to the cancelling of the lease Ald. Snow wrote a letter to Controller Wilson, stating that Mayor Busse had asked him to take the necessary steps, turning over the farm to the small parks commission.

One policeman was discharged and six others fined yesterday by the trial board. The discharged member of the force was William Wallace of the Desplaines street station. The charge was intoxication.

Six Policemen Who Were Fined.

Those fined were:

Rudolph C. Radecke, Lawndale station; intoxication, neglect of duty, sleeping while on duty; fined twenty-five days' pay.

George T. Mandel, Sheffield avenue station; neglect of duty; fined twenty days' pay.

Frank J. Siechter, Lawndale station; leaving post without being regularly relieved; fifteen days' pay.

Thomas J. McGrath, Lawndale station; entering a place where intoxicating drinks are sold, lounging on post; ten days' pay.

Maurice O'Donnell, Woodlawn; neglect of duty; ten days' pay.

Peter M. Hart, Fiftieth street; conduct unbecoming a policeman; five days' pay.

Wallace was appointed to the force on April 4, 1891, and would have been entitled to a pension had he served until April 4, 1911.

BUSINESS MEN GIVEN BLAME FOR LOOSE PUBLIC AFFAIRS.

Julius H. Cohen Tells Credit Association They Must Cease to Regard Profit as Sole Aim of Trade.

In a speech at the fifth annual banquet of the Chicago Credit Men's association at the Auditorium last evening Julius Henry Cohen charged business men with a large measure of responsibility for the failure of government and for corruption in public office.

"There is too much talk," he said, "about the wickedness of men in the legislature and too little about the wickedness of men outside the legislature who make possible the wickedness therein. Did not a business man, a contractor, profit by the whole rock fraud in Chicago, and did not business men profit by the corruption of public officials in New York?

"Higher standards must be set and maintained by business men. They must cease to regard profit as the principal aim of business and realize that they owe a service to the common welfare."

Other speakers were Lynn H. Dinkins, president of the Interstate Trust and Banking company of New Orleans, who responded to the toast "Louisiana"; the Rev. Frank G. Smith, pastor of the Warren Avenue Congregational church of Chicago, whose subject was "Abraham Lincoln's Business Principles"; W. A. Cullop, congressman from the Second district of Indiana, who spoke of the "Relation of Credit to Commerce."

S. J. Whitlock, president of the Chicago Credit Men's association, was toastmaster.

POLICE AGAIN ARREST ARTIST.

Additional Charges of Receiving Stolen Property Are Placed Against Charles Lee Frank.

A studio filled with paintings and unfinished sketches again gave place to the bare walls of a cell for Charles Lee Frank yesterday when additional charges of receiving stolen property were filed against him by the police.

Frank was taken from his studio at 4 East Ohio street to the Woodlawn police station and kept there three hours until additional bonds of $2,000 were secured. These also were furnished by S. C. Scotten, 4834 Forrestville avenue.

Sherman McHale, a self-confessed burglar, asserts the loot he secured was turned over to Frank, who knew the goods were stolen. McHale waived a preliminary examination and is awaiting trial on a charge of robbery.

SEEKS TO GET SON BY A WRIT.

John Knerr Begins Habeas Corpus Proceedings for Custody of Ten Year Old Child.

John Knerr, 418 Twenty-fifth place, began habeas corpus proceedings in the Circuit court yesterday to obtain the custody of his son, George Knerr, 10 years old, who, he alleges, is being illegally held by Annie and Alfred Meider.

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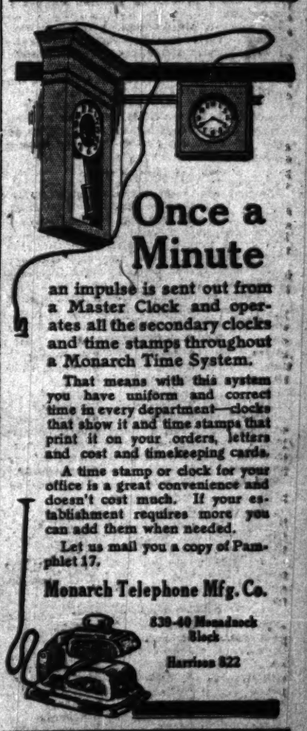

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GIBSON BILL GOES TO THIRD READING

Illinois House Advances the Measure Providing for Direct Primary Law.

FRIENDS SEE A VICTORY.

Shurtleff, However, Is as Confident Defeat Will Come on Today.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—The house tonight advanced the Gibson legislative direct plurality primary bill to third reading. Upon a motion made by Speaker Shurtleff after a day of bitter personalities in debate the house refused to strike out the bill's enacting clause by a vote of 79 to 50.

The direct primary leaders, badly worried in the face of the desertion of twenty-eight representatives from the lineup of Feb. 1 when 100 votes were registered for the identical bill sent through second reading today, fear to have the Gibson bill come to a third reading tomorrow. They tried to put over the final roll call until next Wednesday, to which date the extra session will adjourn tomorrow, but Speaker Shurtleff held them to the prearranged schedule and compelled assent to calling the bill up on third reading as a special order for tomorrow morning.

The main bill, which awaits house concurrence in the senate amendments, has not officially appeared in the house. If the Gibson bill is passed tomorrow the fight will be immediately resumed over the main measure.

Primary Men Are Confident.

Gov. Deneen and his advisers are straining every nerve to hold seventy-seven members in line for both the Gibson bill and the big proposition. To the same end every force at the command of Roger C. Sullivan and the Sullivan Democrats in the house is being used. Upon the showing of seventy-nine votes for the Gibson bill, made on the test roll call today, the direct primary managers claim tonight to be confident of winning out tomorrow.

The opposition, of which Speaker Shurtleff became the active leader on the floor of the house this afternoon, is fully as confident that the list of twenty-eight deserters from the 100 high water record of Feb. 1 will be augmented by at least a half dozen votes tomorrow and that the Gibson bill will fail of passage and the main bill will be sent to conference.

Gov. Deneen was personally attacked during the torrid oratory of the debate. He was charged with using state patronage to influence votes for a direct plurality primary law by Speaker Shurtleff, coupled with the direct charge that the governor and Roger C. Sullivan had made a "deal" whereby the state administration gets a direct plurality primary law for state and congressional offices in return for a "loaded" legislative bill—the Gibson bill was meant—which was branded as "nasty" and boldly unconstitutional by Mr. Shurtleff.

Deneen Silent on Attacks.

To these charges Gov. Deneen declined to make any reply tonight, upon the ground that it is not becoming in a governor at such a juncture to answer charges made in the course of a legislative duel.

As to Mr. Sullivan, Representative John J. Poulton of South Chicago took the floor and in an impetuous speech disclaimed any kind of a deal or flicker with the Democrats, who stood shoulder to shoulder with the administration Republicans.

Representative Shanahan, presiding as chairman of the committee of the whole, held a tight rein over the proceedings, and when things became stormy forced the factions to act decently with the announcement that the gavel would not be used for or against primary legislation; that an honest division and a fair count would be granted on every proposition.

The story of the immense pressure which has been exerted by Washington upon wabbly Republicans and of the unyielding strife between the Sullivan and anti-Sullivan Democrats, which has been in progress since the record roll call of Feb. 1, when the house direct plurality primary bill was passed by a vote of 100 to 39, is plainly told in the roll call tonight upon the effort of the speaker to slash the enacting clause from the Gibson legislative bill.

Result of Test Vote.

The test vote was upon the motion of Mr. Shurtleff to strike the enacting clause from the bill. The vote was fifty for the Shurtleff amendment, seventy-nine against it, and twelve not voting. On the affirmative side were thirty-two Republicans and eighteen Democrats. In the negative were forty-six Republicans and thirty-three Democrats. The absentees included eleven Republicans and twelve Democrats.

The roll call was as follows:

YEAS—REPUBLICANS.

Adkins,	Gillespie,	Schumacher,
Beck,	Glade,	Shanahan,
Behrens,	Hope,	Smejkal,
Bush,	Ireland,	Sollitt,
Carter,	Kittleman,	Stearns,
Chipperfield,	Kleeman,	Troyer,
Crawford,	Lane,	Wright,
Erby,	Marcy,	Zinger,
Erickson,	McNichols,	Zipf,
Fieldstack,	Nelson,	Shurtleff—32.
Flannigan,	Parker,	

DEMOCRATS.

Abrahams,	Donahue,	McCollum,
Allison,	Forst,	Murray,
Bolin,	Geshkewich,	Sullivan,
Browne,	Griffin,	Wendell,
Clark,	Lantz,	Wilson, R. E.—18
De Wolf,	Link,	Total yeas—50.
Dillon,		

NAYS—REPUBLICANS.

Abbey,	Hull,	Pervier,
Ap Madoc,	Kutzler,	Pierson,
Black,	Jewell,	Prior,
Brady,	Keck,	Richter,
Burgett,	Kerrick,	Rigney,
Butts,	King,	Robinson,
Campbell,	Kirkpatrick,	Scanlan,
Cliffe,	Kowalski,	Shepherd,
Durfee,	Lyons,	Stevenson, F. W.,
Flagg,	Liggett,	Terrill,
Fulton,	Lawrence,	Tos,
Grace,	Lewis,	Wellborn,
Gray,	Mills,	Wilson, G. M.,
Hagan,	Montalino,	Wilson, M. W.—
Hamilton,	McLean,	46.
Holaday,	Perkins,	

DEMOCRATS.

Alschuler,	Galligan,	O'Brien,
Bockmeyer,	German,	O'Toole,
Blair,	Hanton,	Poulton,
Briscoe,	Hannally,	Richardson,
Burns,	McConnell,	Scott,
Cermak,	McGuire,	Staymates,
Daley,	McLaughlin,	Tippitt,
English,	Morris,	Walsh,
Etherton,	Murphy,	Wheelan,
Fahy,	Myers, Wm.,	Wilson, F. J.—32.
Finley,	Nayler,	Total nays—79.
Foster,		

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING—REPUBLICANS.

Bartill,	Dudgeon,	McMackin,
Brewsbacker,	Hollenbeck,	Reynolds,
Church,	Lederer,	York—11.
Curran,	Logan,	

DEMOCRATS.

Corcoran,	Hilton,	Riley,
Earp,	Kraby,	Shaw,
Graves, J.,	Luke,	Shepherd, H. A.
Graves, W. M.,	Murphy, E. J.,	White—12.

Primary's Net Loss 21.

On Feb. 1 the house passed house bill 40, which was the majority report of the special committee of which Representative Hamilton was the chairman and which is the bill amended in the senate last week and cut into two separate bills, one of which is today's Gibson bill. On the final roll call last week there were 100 votes cast for house bill 40.

Of these 100 votes, 14 were switched directly today and went with the anti-primary faction, voting to strike the enacting clause from the Gibson bill. These were Gillespie, Parker, Stearns, Wright, Zinger, and Zipf, Republicans, and Bolin, Clark, Dillon, Forst, Griffin, Murray, Riley, R. E. Wilson, Democrats.

Another 14 of this list of 100 pro-primary votes of Feb. 1 were either absent or not voting today. This batch of 14 is made up of the following: Bardill, Church, Hollenbeck, Logan, Reynolds, and York, Republicans; and Corcoran, Groves of Adams, Groves of Menard, Hilton, Hruby, Luke, E. J. Murphy, and Shepherd of Jersey, Democrats.

This loss of 28 votes to the direct primary forces was offset by a gain of four votes from men who voted with the antis on Feb. 1—namely: Beckemeyer, Daley, and Naylor, Democrats, and Pierson, Republican—and by a further gain of three votes from representatives who were not on record at the Feb. 1 roll call—namely: Grace, Holaday, and Jewell, Republicans. These comparisons leave a net loss to the direct primary people of 21 votes.

Murray Gives His Reasons.

Some of the switchers, one or two at least, claim a setoff to the record made. Murray of Cook, for instance, is the author of the Murray amendment to the house bill which carried the one-two-three idea with cumulative voting upon legislative candidates. He has contended all along that the legislative provisions, as they are in the Gibson bill, are unconstitutional. He reiterated this position today and finally voted with the anti-primary side. R. E. Wilson of Cook is another father of a direct plurality bill which went into the discard when house bill 40 was perfected.

The state administration counts upon holding the entire list of 79 on tomorrow's last test on the Gibson bill and expects to add Church, Reynolds, and York, who were absent today for one reason or another. Marshal John J. McLaughlin, who had personal charge of the Democratic side for the pro-primary compact, if such there was, claims that three more Democrats may be lined up during the night and that all who registered on the primary side of the roll call today will be found pegged the same way tomorrow.

Upon this potential display is based the optimistic feeling of the direct primary management. The governor thinks that about 15 more votes over and above 79 will come running as soon as the band wagon is seen to start away.

A long string of technical amendments to the Gibson bill, described as tending to perfect the measure, was introduced by Representative Wilson of Quincy, and finally adopted by a division in which the vote was 78 to 48.

CONGRESSMEN AID PRIMARY.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—An overwhelming majority of the Illinois delegation in congress is committed to support the direct plurality primary. It is opposed openly by only three members of the delegation: Senator Lorimer and Representatives Henry Sherman Boutell and N. B. Thistlewood. Speaker Cannon is opposed to state wide direct primary.

The members of the Illinois delegation expressed their views of the direct primary tonight as follows:

Martin B. Madden [Rep.]—Give me the direct plurality primary. I would rather take my chances with the people.

William W. Wilson [Rep.]—My advocacy of a direct plurality primary is well known. I am opposed to any compromise of the direct primary principle.

James S. McDermott [Dem.]—Put me down for the direct plurality primary of the strictest sort.

Adolph Sabath [Dem.]—The direct primary is one of the principles of my political creed.

Thomas Gallagher [Dem.]—I always have been a direct primary advocate.

George F. Foss [Rep.]—I am for direct primaries, as I told THE TRIBUNE two weeks ago. Illinois should insist on getting direct plurality primary legislation.

Charles E. Fuller [Rep.]—Everybody who knows me will tell you I am one of the original direct primary advocates.

Lowden Wants Wide Measure.

Frank O. Lowden [Rep.]—I hope the legislature passes a direct primary state wide in extent and not exempting congressional nominations.

James McKinney [Rep.]—I am an uncompromising direct primary man. The legislature can serve public interest in no better way than by passing a first class primary law.

George W. Prince [Rep.]—Record me unqualifiedly direct primaries.

H. S. Boutell [Rep.]—The direct primary is an assault upon representative government. I am against it.

Joseph V. Graff [Rep.]—I believe in direct primaries.

Henry T. Rainey [Dem.]—I am for direct primaries first, last and always.

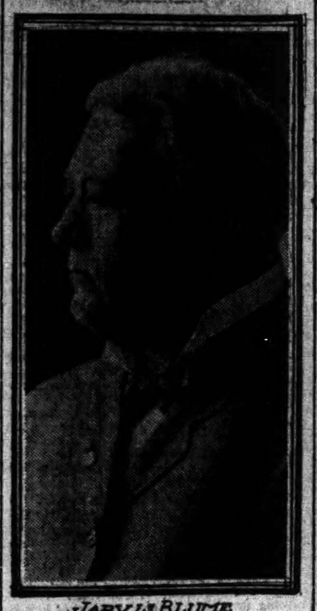
James M. Graham [Dem.]—The people are entitled to a direct primary and I hope a good law will be passed.

William A. Rodenberg [Rep.]—I indorse the direct primary principle.

Martin D. Foster [Dem.]—I always have favored direct primaries.

Pleasant T. Chapman [Rep.]—The direct primary is an established institution in my part of the state and I am one of its original advocates.

Former Justice Dies in Boston.



JARVIS BLUME

Word was received yesterday from Boston of the death there on Monday of Jarvis Blume, a former police magistrate of the city of Chicago, from pneumonia. The funeral will be held in that city.

Judge Blume had been a resident of Boston for about seven years, and recently was married in that city to a Mrs. Tufts, a wealthy widow, who survives him. His career as a police magistrate extended through the early nineties. One of his most notable exploits was the killing of a holdup man under the elevated railroad at Thirteenth street. Judge Blume was going home from an entertainment and was accompanied by his daughter. On being menaced he shot and killed the highwayman.

He was born in Germany in 1842, went to Cincinnati with his father and four older brothers in 1848, and spent his early life in that city. His education consisted of six months in a night school, which he left to serve as a commissary in the union army during the rebellion. He studied law in the office of his brother, Andreas Blume, a Boston attorney, was married there to Miss Olivia Little in 1876, and the same year moved to Chicago. He had one child by his first wife, May Blossom Blume, who died in 1905.

BOUTELL MARKED FOR SLAUGHTER?

Rumor to That Effect Reaches Washington, Coming from Chicago Source.

BUSSE DESIRES CHANGE?

Mayor Controls Ninth District and May Choose New Member of Congress.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Washington, D. C., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—Representative Henry Sherman Boutell of Chicago will not be renominated for congress by the regular Republican organization of the Ninth district, according to the statement made today by an Illinois Republican leader who brought the tidings directly from Chicago. Mr. Boutell has been marked for slaughter, it is said, by the Republican leaders in the Ninth district, who already have under consideration the selection of his successor.

The story brought to Washington is to the effect that Mr. Boutell's fate has been sealed by the decision of Mayor Busse to withdraw his support from the congressman.

Mayor Controls Organization.

The mayor controls the organization in the Ninth district. His word makes or unmakes the regular organization candidates, and the regular organization candidate invariably is elected in that territory. With the mayor's support Congressman Boutell has not even been subjected to the indelicacy of meeting and striving against the organization in the gross, common manner usual in political campaigns.

With Mayor Busse's support withdrawn Mr. Boutell, it is expected, will fall to the earth. The reason for the congressman's misfortune is variously given. One explanation is that he has not given satisfaction in representing his district. He is looked upon by many of the Republican leaders as more a resident of Washington than of Chicago.

Boutell May Quit Politics.

If he is denied the regular nomination it is said Mr. Boutell will retire from politics, as he would not think of running as an independent.

"I have heard nothing of this report," said Mr. Boutell tonight. "I am a candidate for reelection, whether Mr. Busse supports me or not. His attitude has no influence on the course I shall pursue."

WOMAN HIS SON HAD LOVED IS DIVORCED BY A BROKER.

William Starkweather of Milwaukee Wins Action for Separation—Judge Seals Papers in the Case.

Milwaukee, Wis., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—William H. Starkweather, a Milwaukee broker, has been granted a divorce. Mr. Starkweather is 60 years old. His wife is only 33 years old. The wife did not contest the suit.

Upon what specific grounds the separation was granted is not known. Judge Halsey said he sealed the papers "in the interests of public morals," and only the decree is for publication.

Some years ago a son of Mr. Starkweather met a girl in Medford, Mass. Then young Starkweather died suddenly. His father met the woman and he pressed the suit that finally won her hand. They were married in 1905.

MUSEUM BILL IS ADVANCED.

House Passes to Third Reading Measure to Provide Site for the Building.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 16.—The Field museum site bill gained a lap today by advancement to third reading in the house. One of the amendments made in the house judiciary committee yesterday was eliminated while the bill was on second reading.

As the bill goes to passage, the time limit for actual operations under the terms of the bill was changed from ten to fifteen years, as was provided in the senate bill as it came to the house.

The argument made in favor of changing the committee amendment was that the federal government stands ready to plan extensive harbor improvements and the feeling in the house as evidenced by a heavy majority in favor of chopping out the committee amendment is that the museum trustees should not be hampered or impeded in their plans through conditions imposed by the federal government over which they have no control.

SEAMSTRESSES AIDED BY WILL.

Actor Leaves $40,000 to Needlewomen and Court, After Long Controversy, Calls Testament Valid.

New York, Feb. 16.—The sum of $40,000 will be divided among deserving seamstresses in New York and vicinity through the generosity of an actor, Henry Howard Paul, whose will was declared valid today in the Supreme court.

Mr. Paul died in England in 1905 and left two wills, disposing of his property in England and America. The clause in the American will which caused a long legal controversy read:

"The sum remaining, about $40,000, on deposit with the Union Trust company, I devise to my executors, to divide among such American charities as they think well of, and I would like these sums given to any charity that assists poor needlewomen, whose toil is so poorly requited."

OBITUARY.

EDWARD M. BARNARD, aged 81, died yesterday at Alexian Brothers hospital, after having been a patient there for four years. He was born in Utica, N. Y., and was a civil war veteran. Mr. Barnard was a deputy sheriff under David Hammond and record writer of the County court when Judges Bradwell and Wallace were on the bench, and when C. C. Kohlsaat, now United States Circuit judge, was minute clerk. He was a clerk in the United States subtreasury under Assistant Treasurer Timothy M. Bradley. Mr. Bernard is survived by his widow, Kate Barnard, and two sons, Edward M. and Louis D., the latter of New York. The funeral will be held Saturday at Elgin.

JAMES O'DONNELL, who had been engaged in the iron and steel business in Chicago for thirty years, died Tuesday at his residence, 3044 Jackson boulevard, aged 67. He served in the Seventh Illinois regiment throughout the civil war, losing his right eye at the battle of Altoona pass, and was appointed by Gov. Deneen to the board of trustees for the soldiers' home at Quincy. He is survived by a widow and five children. The funeral will be held today at 9:30 a. m. from the Church of Our Lady of Sorrows. Interment will be at Mount Carmel cemetery.

HARVEY PORTER LAYTON, formerly a Chicago newspaper man, died yesterday in San Antonio, Tex., aged 57. He went to San Antonio several years ago because of failing health and began the publication of the "Hand Made Journal," issued without the use of type or printing press, all articles being in handwriting on brown paper.

HENRY V. DONNELLY, actor and theatrical manager, died in New York yesterday of Bright's disease. He was born in Dayton, O., forty-eight years ago.

BENJAMIN JUDD, aged 81, is dead at his home in Streator, Ill. He resided in Evans township, Marshall county, for seventy-nine years.

DR. C. S. LANE, father of Interstate Commerce Commissioner Franklin K. Lane, died yesterday in Santa Barbara, Cal., aged 72.

F. A. ALEXANDER, chief United States revenue agent in Philadelphia, died yesterday, aged 67.

CERMAK REPLIES TO LEAGUE

Alderman Says Deneen Asked Him Not to Leave Legislature.

SAVED COST OF ELECTION.

Ernest Bihl Not Candidate for Reelection to Council.

Ald. Anton J. Cermak of the Twelfth ward has taken exception to the criticism passed upon him by the Municipal Voters' league in its preliminary report, issued Feb. 7. He has written a letter to the league by way of explanation of his attitude and the nonfulfillment of his promise to resign from the state legislature when he was elected to the city council.

Ald. Cermak declares that he was induced to remain in the legislature as a matter of economy for the state of Illinois, after Gov. Deneen had pointed out to him that it would cost $5,000 or $6,000 to hold a special election to elect his successor. The letter of Ald. Cermak is as follows:

"In your report on aldermen who are now seeking reelection to the city council you say in reference to myself:

"'Before his election he promised that if elected alderman he would resign from the legislature when it adjourned sine die. This he did not do. The league believes that it is not proper for a man to hold at the same time the offices of representative at Springfield and alderman at Chicago.'

Deneen Pointed Out Expense.

"It is true that I had made that promise, and I now say that I made it in all good faith, but if you will allow me to explain I will endeavor to do so. In the first place, when the Supreme court declared the direct primary law unconstitutional and the governor gave out the information that he would call a special session of the general assembly I then called on the governor with the intention of tendering my resignation as a member of the general assembly. The governor, after discussing the matter with me, pointed out that the cost of the special election of my successor would be about $5,000 or $6,000, and advised me to complete my duties as legislator and not to resign.

"I now believe that owing to the fact that under the law as it now is, as I am receiving no compensation, and further I am chairman of the Democratic steering committee in the house of representatives and being pledged to assist in the passage of a direct primary law, that under the circumstances I am justified and, in fact, believe it my duty to complete the special session. Should I have resigned it may have been pointed out that I had drawn my salary but failed to serve out my term.

"I desire further to call your attention to the fact that, although I have attended the special session of the legislature promptly and regularly, at an expense to myself, I did not during that time miss one meeting of the city council or of any committee of which I am a member, endeavoring at all times to do my duty in such manner as I believe to be for the best interest of the people of the Twelfth ward of the city of Chicago.

Gives Full Time to Duties.

"I have given my entire time to the duties of alderman, and I have no other interest to serve. I have no objections to your making the report you did, but would consider it just that you add my explanation as given herein."

This letter was made public yesterday by the league without comment.

Ald. Ernest Bihl of the Thirty-third ward has withdrawn as a candidate for reelection.

The candidacy of Fred A. Wieland, manager of the Wieland Dairy company, for the Republican aldermanic nomination in the Twenty-fifth ward, was boosted at night at a meeting in Hollesen's hall, North Clark street and Devon avenue.

George B. Sikes, formerly secretary of the Municipal Voters' league, was indorsed by the Thirty-fifth Ward Democratic club meeting at Forty-eighth Avenue and West Superior street.

FOLK CONSENTS TO RECOUNT: STONE REPLIES TO HADLEY.

Senator Says if Governor Wants to Be Senator He Can Run Against Warner —Challenges Him to Resign.

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—The consent of former Gov. Folk having been given to a recount of the ballots cast in the senatorial primary of November, 1908, the challenge of Gov. Hadley to Senator Stone to stake his seat o nsuch a recount now awaits a definite reply from the senator. If this is given there must be a determination of the question whether the ballot boxes legally can be opened at this late date.

Senator Stone tonight in Washington gave out a 3,300 word statement, in which he said:

Gov. Hadley says that if I should resign and Gov. Folk would not make the race against he himself would run. I have been informed that Gov. Folk announced today in St. Louis that he would not accept an appointment to the senate from Hadley. Now, if Mr. Hadley wishes to run for the senate, why doesn't he make the race against Senator Warner?

"If Gov. Hadley can point out a way by which a full legal investigation can be had, and if it is had and the findings are in my favor, will he resign the governorship, because of false and malicious statements, and pay the costs?"

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HUGHES TO BEGIN FOREST INQUIRY

Governor Names Commission to Sift Charges of Graft in Land Purchases.

CONGER SLURS DEAD MAN.

Accuser of Senator Allds Says Jean Burnett Was Bribed with $1,000.

Albany, N. Y., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—Gov. Hughes is to investigate the state's purchases of Adirondack forest lands since this policy was adopted a dozen years ago, back to the time when Timothy L. Woodruff was lieutenant governor.

In preparing for the trial of Senator Allds on the Conger's bribery charges counsel for Senator Conger investigated different things in which Senator Allds was interested, including forest land purchased by the state. Senator Allds had been employed by the state in passing upon the titles to this land.

During the Allds trial counsel for Senator Conger have intimated that they were sorry they could not introduce in evidence facts discovered in connection with these land purchases.

The governor tonight appointed Roger P. Clark and H. Leroy Austin to act as his commissioners to investigate the management and affairs of the state forest, fish, and game commission.

Conger Accuses Dead Legislator.

The name on another of "Hi" Moe's envelopes was spoken at the legislative bribery investigation today. The manner of its revelation indicated that the weight of evidence descending alike upon Senator Benn Conger and Senator Jotham P. Allds, accuser and accused, has driven the former to a desperate attempt to distribute the blame.

The name heard today was that of Jean Burnett, once assemblyman from Ontario county, who died in Albany during the legislative session of 1907. The story Conger and Moe told last week is that the $6,000 sent to Albany by the American Bridge company April 23, 1901, was divided into three envelopes.

Allds, they say, got the first envelope, containing $1,000. The second envelope held $4,000 and the third $1,000. According to the testimony given by Conger today, this third envelope was given to Burnett. The name on the second envelope, that of another man who is dead, is expected to be the next disclosure of the investigation.

The second thrill of the afternoon came shortly afterward, when Conger was asked if he had discussed the bridge bill with any other assemblymen. The witness said a number had spoken to him on the subject, but when Attorney Carr asked "Who?" Conger mentioned only one name, Louis Bedell.

Bedell at that time was a member of the lower house from Orange county. Conger said Bedell's suggestion was like Burnett's and had to do with an amendment to the bridge bill, favorable to the bridge companies. It was another bridge bill hostile to the bridge interests which he accused Allds of using as a club to "hold up" the American Bridge company.

Burnett Was Native New Yorker.

New York, Feb. 16.—Jean L. Burnett was born in Canandaigua. He was a son of Perrine Burnett, a compositor, and was educated in the public schools, Canandaigua academy, and later at the University of Michigan, where he was graduated in law. While there he helped to organize the Collegiate Republican league, which subsequently obtained a membership of 60,000 and played an important part in the national campaign of 1892. His work in that campaign led directly to his election in 1899 to the assembly, where he served until his death. He left a fortune of $300,000.

Bedell Says Conger Lies.

New York, Feb. 16.—Louis Bedell, whose name was mentioned in the testimony given by Senator Conger today, was for many years a member of the assembly from Goshen, Orange county. When informed tonight that his name had been brought into the Conger-Allds bribery scandal Bedell said:

"I am going to Albany and confront Senator Conger. I also shall seek an opportunity to testify. My opinion is that the legislature should drop all other business and go to the bottom of this whole thing, let the inquiry hurt whom it may."

DENIES OFFICERS DETAILED TO WATCH GEORGE BUSSE.

Inspector Lavin Says It's "Revival of an Old Rumor"—Story of Fight Connecting Mayor's Brother Discredited.

Reports more or less conflicting were circulated yesterday that George Busse, a brother of the mayor, had engaged in a fight in Dick Wells' saloon, Wabash avenue and Monroe street, on Wednesday night and that he had "put a couple of men, including 'Bunk' Allen, former partner of Sim Wineman, out of business." It was also related that two detectives from Inspector Lavin's office had followed the mayor's brother around town for some time.

The stories generally were denied, especially the detective feature.

"There is no one traveling out of my office with orders to keep his eyes on George Busse," said Inspector Lavin. "It is just a revival of an old rumor that the mayor has asked to have two men watch George Busse every time he is in the city. There's no truth in it at all."

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PICTURES HARBOR FAR OUT IN LAKE

John W. Mabbs Presents $200,000,000 Plan to Western Engineers.

ALL WANT ACTION NOW.

Schemes, However, Are Many and Members Reach No Agreement.

Plans for piers and wharves at the mouth of the Chicago river, for a succession of slips along the drainage canal, for the enlargement of the Calumet basin, for the construction of a channel from lake to river at Sixteenth street, and many other proposals for a Chicago harbor, presented to the meeting of the Western Society of Engineers last night, paled, glimmered, and almost went out in the dazzling radiance of a scheme set forth with maps and statistics and oratory by John W. Mabbs, chief engineer of the board of trade.

In kindly consideration for the feelings of his auditors Mr. Mabbs prefaced his explanation with the statement that Chicago is destined to be not only the metropolis of the United States but the metropolis of the world, and that in planning a harbor for the city one should be built that can accommodate for all time the commerce of the world's greatest city.

Breakwater, Wharves, and Parks.

Here is the scheme:

A breakwater 140 feet wide two miles out in the lake from north of Evanston to south of the Indiana state line, made from the mountains of broken stone that line the drainage canal.

Wharves and slips a quarter of a mile long on the inside of this breakwater.

Tunnels connecting the wharves with the railway terminals of the city.

Elevators to lift the railway cars from the tunnels to the docks on a level with the ships' decks.

A city front of parks and boulevards from one end of the breakwater to the other, facing on the two mile wide harbor, free from the disfigurements of commerce.

A lagoon shut off from the cribs, into which the city sewage would be discharged in time of freshet and from which it would be withdrawn in normal times.

Mr. Mabbs stated that the outside cost of the breakwater would be $8,000,000.

Later, under questioning, he thought the cost of the piers and docks and tunnels might approximate $200,000,000. But he said it would be worth the money in a hundred years.

Committee Reports on Harbors.

The meeting was called to consider the report of a committee of the society on the harbor problem. The report was read and submitted and discussed at length by most of those present, but no action was taken on it. The report after an extensive consideration of the problems involved made two definite recommendations:

First—That outer harbors should be developed at the mouths of both the Chicago and Calumet rivers, and that any plans for park development which interfere with these outer harbors should be changed.

Second—That the city should not attempt to build the outer harbors.

The discussion, participated in by Lyman E. Cooley, R. C. Mershon, H. B. Ford of the Association of Commerce, George Hooker, J. W. Alvord, president of the society, J. H. Warder, secretary, Andrews Allen, former president, and Col. C. McD. Townsend, United States harbor engineer at Detroit, and others, presented almost every shade of opinion on the harbor question.

On one point there was harmony—immediate, decisive action is necessary if the remnants of Chicago's trade are to be saved.

Randolph for Outer Harbor.

A long letter was read from Isham Randolph expressing his emphatic concurrence in the recommendations of the report and advocating the advantages of the construction of the outer harbor by the sanitary district.

Mr. Cooley resolved the problem into three factors—sanitation, commerce or harbor, and deep waterway. The three can be combined, he said, only in one great channel serving all three purposes and making a continuous harbor and the greatest industrial district in the world from Chicago to St. Louis.

Mr. Mershon wanted a channel from river to lake at about Sixteenth street, regulated by lock gates, and crossed by no bridges but by subways. He condemned the outer harbor as destructive of the beauty of the city and economically unprofitable because of lighterage charges.

Mr. Ford spoke as one actively engaged in lake transportation, and told the engineers some of the things that he and others like him were forced to demand in order to conduct their business at a profit.

MRS. AMELIA BARR OPPOSES SPORTS FOR AMERICAN WOMEN

Novelist Expresses Decided Views After Hearing Remarks of Loser in Golf Foursome at St. Andrew's.

New York, Feb. 16.—[Special.]—Ever since Mrs. Amelia Barr, the novelist, heard the tail end of a golf foursome blaspheming upon St. Andrew's links, in bonnie Scotland, she has been unalterably opposed to athletic sports for women. Mrs. Barr thinks a game which provokes in a loser the thoughts which make the words she heard on St. Andrew's historic course is no game for a woman.

So, at the age of 79, Mrs. Barr issues a warning to young American women against over-indulgence in athletic sports.

"If America has a national fault," said Mrs. Barr, "it lies in the fact that Americans carry everything to extremes, and over-indulgence in athletic sport brutalizes a woman. It robs her of the fine bloom of her womanhood. More than any one thing, I believe this craze for athletics is responsible for the passing of the old fashioned woman; the sort of a woman the average man wishes to marry.

"Women never were meant to be athletic. They were meant to be mothers and home makers."

POLICEMAN'S WIDOW BEATS ALLEGED SLAYER IN COURT.

Strikes Vincent Briscoe in Face Three Times Before Officials Can Interfere—Held in Contempt, but Venire Is Kept.

"You murdered my husband!"

Shouting these words, Mrs. Mary Duffy, widow of Policeman Patrick Duffy, who was shot to death by a robber in 1902, sprang at Vincent Briscoe, on trial yesterday for the murder in Judge Kersten's court, and struck him three times in the face.

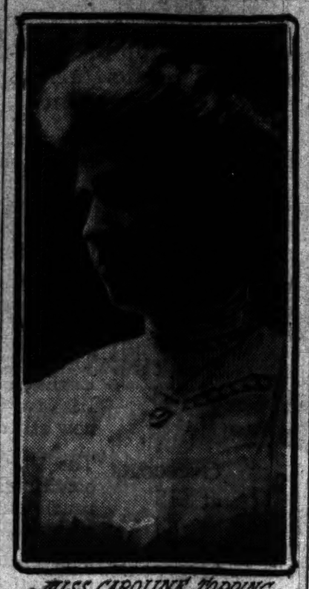
A bailiff and several policemen seized the enraged widow and escorted her from the room.

Mrs. Duffy was held in contempt of court, but was allowed to leave the building in the custody of Capt. Patrick Harding of the stockyards station. Ten were accepted tentatively before adjournment for the day.

Duffy was killed in a revolver fight with two robbers whom he had pursued in Halsted street. Hugh Riley, alleged accomplice of Briscoe, was sentenced to fourteen years in the penitentiary for complicity in the crime.

Briscoe was arrested last year after he had been released from the California state penitentiary at San Quentin. He denies the charge.

Chicago Girl Wins Honors at Vassar.



MISS CAROLINE TOPPING.

Miss Caroline Beatrice Topping, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wandell Topping, 561 Melrose street, is one of the "honor girls" of 1910 at Vassar college, according to official announcement in Poughkeepsie, N. Y., yesterday.

There were twenty-five others, all of whom received a red rose from the faculty as a token.

Miss Topping, who is 20 years of age, is a product of the late Frances W. Parker's system of teaching, under whose personal guidance she studied while in Chicago. Miss Gertrude Anna Mills of Decatur, Ill., was on the list.

GHOST TO PASS ON MERRIAM RECORDS

(Continued from first page.)

sion," he said. "They ought to get a fair deal, and we can give it to them in this committee."

"Mr. Quinn and the others have had a chance to say whatever they liked," spoke up Ald. Merriam. "There was an open hearing, and they all had a chance to tell Mr. Welton whatever they liked."

Then, with a yawn, Ald. Cullerton turned to Ald. Britten, chairman of the committee, and said:

"Well, Mr. Chairman, I believe they ought to get a fair hearing. I move as a substitute motion that when this committee convenes again it meet at the call of the chairman, and that Quinn and the others criticised, also Mr. Hanberg, along with whatever evidence the Merriam commission has should be taken up by the committee as a whole."

Ald. Emerson again protested.

"What on earth will you gain?" he asked, directing the question at Ald. Clark, whose main point up to this time was that he would like to see what the investigators looked like. "This should go to the civil service commission. We can't do a thing here to help matters, and we may make things worse.

Cannot See Any Benefit.

"Can you tell me, Ald. Clark, what good it would do?"

"Well," said the man from the Thirty-fifth ward after some hesitation, "what is this committee here for? We never have had a meeting and I think we ought to have one. I tell you I should like to see what these fellows look like."

"Why, it would do no good to give it to the civil service commission," interjected Ald. Cullerton. "Judging by the way the courts are tossing back things on the civil service board, it would not mean anything to send it to that body."

"Well," spoke up Ald. Emerson tartly, "if you don't think the city employes can get a fair and impartial trial before the civil service commission let us put in a resolution before the council at the next meeting to investigate it."

Ald. Cullerton was gazing intently at the ceiling. Presently he added, regardless of the drift of the discussion, with a sort of satirical touch of finality:

"I agree with these splurges of reform. Yes, they do good; but sometimes they injure. It wasn't long ago that we had some expert accountants come here from New York and go over our books. In the controller's office there is a bill paid to them of over $100,000. I believe they still have a large bill against us."

Merriam Makes a Last Objection.

Before a vote was taken to investigate the sewer cleaning report of the commission Ald. Merriam said:

"I don't wish to appear in the light of concealing anything from this committee, but I think the reports should go to the commissioner of public works for action before the civil service commission. It would only embarrass, hinder, and delay the work of our commission. We have a lot of things to do."

The vote stood 5 to 3 on the motion to rehear the whole matter. Those voting "yes" were Ald. Egan, Cullerton, Lucas, Reading, and Clark. Those voting "no" were Ald. Merriam, Bauler, and Emerson.

After the meeting adjourned Ald. Britten, as chairman of the committee, asked Ald. Merriam to bring in all the evidence the commission had, all the investigators, including Mr. Welton, who worked on the case against the sewer bureau.

The grand jury did not reach any of the city graft cases during the day, and it is likely that only regular docket cases will be considered again today. Reports of disagreement among members of the grand jury over the taking up of the graft cases were denied by jurors and in the office of the state's attorney.

TRUCE HALTS COURT FIGHT OVER TARKINGTON'S NIECES.

Heiresses to $750,000, Whose Mother Died Last Week, Given in Charge of Father's Sister.

Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 16.—A truce was arranged today in the controversy among relatives over the control of the three daughters of Mrs. Julia Fletcher Barnard, sister of Mrs. Booth Tarkington, who died in Pasadena last Friday, leaving an estate valued at $750,000. The children will be returned to their home in Pasadena, under the guardianship of Miss Helena Barnard, their father's sister. They were spirited away from home and taken to Riverside early in the week by relatives of Mrs. Barnard and were found only after an extended search by Miss Barnard.

Miss Hilda Fletcher and Mrs. S. A. Fletcher of Indianapolis, sisters of Mrs. Barnard, will be allowed to remain at the Barnard home. The controversy over the administration of the estate will be determined later, amicably or in legal action.

Mrs. Barnard and her husband had been living apart. The latter is an invalid in Brookline, Mass. According to friends the separation was only temporary.

EXPECT TON BILL TO BECOME A LAW

Friends of Measure Encouraged by the Prospects at Springfield.

COMMENT IN THE CITY.

Sanitary Board Held to Be Better Equipped than Municipality for Harbor Work.

The renewed prospects of favorable action at Springfield on the Ton bill, which places upon the sanitary district of Chicago the duty of making harbor improvements, aroused favorable comment in the city yesterday. Its advocates reassert that the city, unable to finance the improvements, will lose control through private ownership, and that special interests will seize all the advantages. Under the Ton bill, they assert, "we'll own the harbor. We'll control and manage it. It will cost less money." Under the city bill, they contend: "We won't know who'll own it. Experience shows we would not control. Private profit must be added to fixed charges and operating expenses."

Attitude of Sanitary Trustees.

The drainage board is willing to take the responsibility of doing the work, the position of individual members being that the board should have charge for all practical and theoretical reasons.

"The drainage board is not running after the job," President Robert R. McCormick said, "but the position of the board is that the Ton bill and its provisions are proper in theory. The drainage board can do the work, and will do it if the Ton bill is passed. The board will do it at less cost than anybody else, for it is equipped in every way.

"I want it understood I am entering into no controversy in regard to this mattter, but I will say that our limit of bonding power is not such as to make necessary an extension of it to do the harbor improvement work. We have more than $3,000,000 leeway, and that is plenty. The harbor committee's estimate that the work will cost 10,000,000 is excessive. Five million at most is sufficient."

Against Private Ownership.

"The port of Chicago is the port of Illinois, and the state of Illinois cannot afford to have its great harbor in private ownership," said B. A. Fessenden of the Chicago real estate board. "A clause in a franchise to a private corporation giving the city a right to buy in twenty years would not be worth the paper it was written on, for the city would not have the money to make the purchase."

Ald. Charles M. Foell said he was opposed to the unconditional passage of the Ton bill, or anything that would interfere with the charter powers of the city in case of harbor improvements. The power of the sanitary district, he said, should be made subsidiary to the city's control.

Contends the City Should Control.

Ald. B. W. Snow is in favor of the city's making the improvement through a private corporation.

"The only practicable way the harbor improvements can be brought about," said he, "is to grant to the city authority to take hold of the project and award a franchise to private capital to do the work. This should be done by the passage of the city bill providing for the city's control of the investment, the charges and the income, and giving the city the right to purchase within a specified time as in the case of the traction lines.

"It is true the city cannot finance the work. But the sanitary district is no better off so far as that is concerned. Its powers to issue bonds are limited, and already its bonded indebtedness reaches within $5,000,000 or $6,000,000 of the limit. That is not nearly enough to carry out the improvement work. If the sanitary district is given the power to do the work it will have to do the same thing the city would have to do—get an extension of its bonding powers, and that may be an impossibility."

DELAY HARBOR BILL HEARING.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—There was no public hearing by the house judiciary committee today on the pending harbor bills because of the failure of the expected Chicago delegation boosting the "city" bill to arrive.

It had been announced that a strong contingent from the city hall would be down to press affirmative action upon the Cermak house bill, which is a duplicate of the Stelson bill in the senate and Chairman Chiperfield of the committee had arranged a committee meeting.

The deputation did not arrive however, and there was no meeting of the judiciary committee. Inasmuch as the joint resolution passed in both senate and house today will cause a recess of the extra session over Washington's birthday, and that it is the expectation of the house to get through early tomorrow afternoon with the week's business, there is no chance for argument before the judiciary committee this week, either upon the Cermak bill or upon the Ton bill, which carries the right to the sanitary district of Chicago to start at work, through the financial ability which it possesses to do business.

If there is a disposition in Chicago to discuss the merits of the two rival measures next week, Chairman Chiperfield is perfectly willing to arrange for a public hearing on either or both of the pending bills.

WANT RECOGNITION AS A RACE.

Lithuanians Object to Proposed Census Classification as Either Poles, Russians, or Germans.

Prof. George Herbert Mead of the University of Chicago is circulating a petition for the recognition of the Lithuanians as a race at the coming census. It is due to a decision of Director of Census E. Durand to classify Lithuanians either as Poles, Russians, or Germans.

A delegation of Lithuanians will leave tomorrow for Washington to petition the census officials to reconsider the decision. Those in the party are the Rev. Mr. Skrypka, John Tananeviogus, editor of Catholic; M. A. Malbardzis, treasurer of the Lithuanian Republican league; the Rev. M. Krawcsunas, and County Commissioner Joseph J. Elias.

At the request of Prof. Hotchkiss, supervisor of the census in Chicago, Judge Julian W. Mack is examining the statutes covering the question.

Head of Juvenile Home Who Resigns

JUVENILE HOME HEAD QUITS

Miss A. A. Aber Resigns After Quarrel with Cook Over Food.

EMPLOYES IN TWO FACTIONS.

Miss Rachel Blanchard of Wheaton Named as Successor.

Dissentions with the cook and charges of partiality in the treatment of subordinates are responsible for the resignation of Miss A. A. Aber as superintendent of the Juvenile home.

President William Busse of the county commissioners announced its acceptance yesterday. Miss Aber is at present visiting friends in the west and has a leave of absence with full pay extending to May 1.

Miss Rachel Blanchard, daughter of President Charles Blanchard of Wheaton college, has been appointed as her successor and will assume charge a week from tomorrow. Miss Blanchard is a nurse at the Presbyterian hospital of Chicago. Practical disorganization of discipline is said to have existed at the home for several months and the decision of the board to secure a new head is said to have had the agreement of the retiring superintendent.

Belief among subordinates that Miss Aber has been unfair in apportioning favors is said to have created two factions.

Disputes with Cook Over Food.

A dispute between Miss Aber and the cook, a woman by the name of Patterson, over the proper method of preparing food, which took place several weeks ago, is said to have been responsible for the breach which finally widened and caused the resignation.

On this occasion the cook disobeyed the instructions of the superintendent and was supported by the opposing faction among the employés.

"Discipline had gone to pieces," said Attorney Carl R. Chindblom, a member of the board of commissioners. "Miss Aber admitted that she had lost control of things, and agreed it would be better to make a change in the administration.

"Some of the employés thought she was partial and granted favors to her friends that were undeserved. Miss Aber was capable to a remarkable degree in other ways and the board hated to have her go, but under the circumstances it seemed the only solution of the situation."

Women Will Quarrel, Says Busse.

"Miss Aber has resigned, following friction between her and other employés," said President Busse.

"The trouble which led to her resignation, so far as I could learn, was not of an important character. It impressed me as being one of those cases where women become angry at each other and begin to talk.

"You know, women sometimes become too friendly and then suddenly go to the other extreme. Most of the employés were involved in the dissensions.

"Miss Aber has been a faithful superintendent. Last year she took no vacation at all. When I received her resignation, I granted her a vacation to extend until the first of May. I understand that she is visiting in the west now and intends to be married soon."

IS A HEN A BIRD? WHO KNOWS?

Egg Importer Asks Question That Makes $4,000,000 Worth of Government Clerks Gasp.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—The greatest question since "How old is Ann?" was sprung on the United States government by a New York man today. His question upset the treasury department and has $4,000,000 worth of government clerks gasping. Here it is:

"Is a hen a bird?"

It reached the office of Secretary MacVeagh first. It came from an egg importer. He set forth that eggs are dutiable under the Payne tariff law at 5 cents a dozen and that bird's eggs are free. Now he wants to know if a hen is a bird.

Assistant Secretary Bailey, in Mr. MacVeagh's office, consigned the question to Assistant Secretary Curtis, who may be able to solve it in time.

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DIFFER ON SIDE DOORS.

Electric Club Hears Rosy Prospects of City Surface Lines.

The announcement by THE TRIBUNE of Bion J. Arnold's selection as the city representative to act with the elevated railroads' presidents and engineers to solve "loop" congestion was greeted with approval yesterday by the "L" people and the public generally, who considered it the logical second step to the conference at Mayor Busse's office Tuesday afternoon.

The expert committee is expected to be well under way by the coming week. Each road will send in the names of the two men who will represent it—the president and chief engineer—by Tuesday night, and Chairman Milton J. Foreman of the council local transportation committee then will call the first meeting a few days later.

The city desires these representatives to be vested with power to formulate a plan, and those of the Northwestern and Oak Park roads are already so. The directors of the South Side system will meet today if President Charles V. Weston returns from New York, and the Metropolitan board is expected to select President Britton I. Budd and Engineer James Walker on Monday. The first committee list, announced in THE TRIBUNE, will not be changed, it is thought.

Seen Only Month's Work.

"The work can be done in thirty days if too many arguments over details do not arise," said Mr. Arnold. "All the members of the committee are familiar with the various solutions suggested by George Weston, Ford, Bacon & Davis, Charles K. Mohler, and myself, and the plans for through routing and transfers necessarily would be a matter of detail."

"The west side roads are said to oppose a through routing system which ignores them," was suggested.

"They were covered in my original reports," replied Mr. Arnold, "and through routing in every direction was arranged. It is perfectly feasible, but some officials, I understand, think it inadvisable. That is a matter for the conference's solution."

Mr. Arnold declined to discuss platform extension in advance of the committee sessions.

Discussion on Side Doors.

The side door proposition which the council local transportation committee will investigate and call the conference's attention to is still causing agitation. The Illinois Central, in its suburban service, uses a limited number of side door cars. The opening of the doors is not automatic, the conductor releasing the locks when the train stops completely and the passengers opening the doors themselves.

The Northwestern elevated has 40 per cent of its rolling stock equipped with sliding doors flush with the side of the car. These doors are forty-four inches wide. It is claimed that expert observation of the additional entrance in the middle of the car proves that no time is gained, whatever the convenience may be.

Predicts Better Traction Service.

More money to the city as its share of traction profits, new through car routes, completion of the Van Buren street tunnel in three months, and starting of the subway in autumn were predicted by Mr. Arnold at a luncheon given by the Electric club.

Mr. Arnold's subject was "What has been accomplished in the rehabilitation work of the traction companies," and he told what had been done during the last three years, giving some of the plans for the future.

"During the last three years," said Mr. Arnold, "a total of 305 miles of lines have been reconstructed. In this work there have been used 465 miles of electric cable, 7,000,000 pounds of copper wire, and enough brick to form a wall 12 feet high, 13 inches thick, and 18 miles long. Also 900,000 feet of conduits have been built.

"The total work of rehabilitation has cost $36,965,838, and the properties are now worth $50,000,000. They will reach the $100,000,000 mark before the end of summer, as against a $50,000,000 valuation at the time the traction ordinance was passed.

"During the three years the companies have put $3,000,000 into the city treasury, and this amount will be increased by $1,500,000 before the end of summer."

Mr. Arnold then took up the river tunnel propositions, and predicted that the Van Buren street bore would be finished in three months, the one at La Salle street in another year, and the Washington street tunnel by the end of 1910.

TROUBLE FOR LOAN BROKERS.

Ten Managers of Companies Are Held on Charge of Maintaining Disorderly Places.

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 16.—Ten managers of loan companies, including several whose branches extend to many cities in the country, were held today in $600 bail each for trial on a charge of maintaining disorderly places. The assistant district attorney urged that evidence of the continual taking of usurious rates of interest was sufficient to substantiate this charge.

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MADDEN FIGHT ON AGAIN.

Building Trades Council Sends Warning to Contractors.

Electrical workers employed by the Chicago Telephone company have organized a union and affiliated with the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers. A charter for the new local, which will be No. 658, was received yesterday from the headquarters of the international union at Springfield.

The forming of the local marks a new policy in the electrical workers' union, in that telephone employes hereafter will be given a separate "trade autonomy" under a classification of their own. Formerly most of the telephone company's employés refused to join the union because they were compelled to affiliate with locals composed of "power men" and other workers not classed as telephone men.

It is the first time that a local of exclusively telephone workers has been formed east of San Francisco. As a result of the new arrangement, the strike against the Chicago Telephone company, which was ordered by local No. 134 more than one year ago, will be allowed to lapse. The strike was called in an effort to enforce a demand for higher wages.

Will Install Local Tomorrow.

The new local will be installed tomorrow evening at 275 La Salle street. Fifty-nine men signed the charter and nearly 500 applications for membership will be acted upon at the meeting.

More than 300 employés of the company who now are members of locals Nos. 9 and 134 will be transferred to the new local, which will have a membership of more than 1,000 within a few weeks.

Arrangements for the election of officers will be made tomorrow and a committee will be appointed to take up the question of wage scales and working conditions. The telephone employés in the union include linemen, combination and inside repairmen, cable splicers, and installers.

Madden Fight Breaks Out Again.

The Building Trades council has renewed its fight on Martin B. ["Skinny"] Madden. The executive board has notified contractors and architects that the "strikebreaking" machinists furnished by Madden to the Otis Elevator company must be withdrawn from all buildings by next Monday.

The building trades leaders are incensed over the alleged action of Ernest R. Graham of D. H. Burnham & Co. in engaging a large number of machinists to do elevator construction work. They insist that Graham promised to refrain from employing machinists pending the adjustment of the dispute between the striking elevator constructors, the Otis company, and Madden's machinists.

The strike of electrical workers on the Steger building at Wabash avenue and Jackson boulevard was declared off during the day, the dispute growing out of the trouble with the striking elevator constructors having been settled.

JEWS, THROUGH RABBI LEVY, BUY 35,000 ACRES IN GEORGIA.

Land Will Be Used in Agricultural Movement in Interest of Those Dissatisfied with Cities.

Macon, Ga., Feb. 16.—Announcement was made today that Rabbi A. R. Levy, pastor of the Congregation B'nai Abraham (reformed) in Chicago, had closed the purchase of 35,000 acres of farm lands in Pierce county, Georgia, to be used in the Jewish agricultural movement inaugurated in 1880.

The purpose of this plan is to gather Jews dissatisfied with conditions in the larger cities and to furnish a wholesome agricultural life for those who care to take up such careers.

This is the first definite step in procuring property for such colonies to begin operations upon. It is said those who are in charge of the financial end of the enterprise have made a thorough investigation of the best plans to pursue and this purchase is regarded as an almost immediate beginning of a colony.

Rabbi Levy is well known in Georgia, which is his native state. He stands high as a lecturer on economic matters concerning his people.

RETURNS NEXT TUESDAY.

At the residence of Rabbi A. R. Levy, 208 East Forty-eighth street, it was stated last night that he was in Georgia in connection with a land purchasing enterprise and would return next Tuesday.

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BILL FOR ALASKA DIES IN SENATE

Borah's Opposition Puts Quietus on Administration's Proposed Law.

TAFT'S PLEA IS IN VAIN.

Charge That Act Was in Interest of Guggenheims; Blow to Beveridge.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Washington, D. C., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—The administration bill for the government of Alaska is dead. It fell today before the onslaught of Senator Borah, and before the heralded assaults of expert muckrakers. The charge behind its sudden taking off is that it would turn Alaska over root and branch to the Guggenheims. The funeral obsequies were presided over in the senate today by Senator Beveridge, chairman of the committee on territories. Beveridge acted upon the suggestion of President Taft.

In this strange case Alaska turned up once more as the administration's pursuing Nemesis. The president had stood behind this bill to create a legislative commission for the territory. The draft of it had been sent to congress by the administration. When the president first heard of Senator Borah's opposition he sought to dissuade him. It is understood that he tried to prevent the attack which Borah made in the senate two weeks ago. He invited Borah to a conference and today they had it out.

Bill Favorable to Big Interests.

It is understood that Borah told the president in plain language just what his bill would do to Alaska. He may not have specifically mentioned the Guggenheims, but he declared that the legislation was favorable to the interests intrenched in Alaska. This left no doubt of his meaning. He maintained strongly to the president that inevitably such a commission as was sought to be created would be completely dominated by great financial interests.

If the president in his interview today hoped to swerve Borah, he soon learned his mistake. The Idaho senator has had experience with the Guggenheims in his own state, and he considered that he knew what to anticipate for Alaska if the door were thrown open to them. While standing for the president's legislative program, and being in close sympathy with him in his purposes, yet Borah showed Mr. Taft that it was out of the question for him to yield on what he considered a matter of principle.

At the conclusion of the interview the president reached the conclusion that Borah might be right. He sent for Senator Beveridge and indicated his belief that it would be unwise to force the Alaskan bill in the face of determined opposition. This measure was the senate's unfinished business for the day, and when it was called up for consideration Senator Beveridge said he would consent that it be no longer considered as unfinished business. He suggested that its place might be taken by the postal savings bill.

Beveridge in Uncomfortable Position.

This backdown on the part of the administration leaves Senator Beveridge in an uncomfortable position. Without suspecting the possible presence of an Ethiopian in the woodpile, he accepted the Alaskan bill from administration sources and sought to put it through with absolute loyalty to the president. So determined was he in his faithfulness to the administration that he is said to have resented Borah's intimation that the bill was dangerous, and to have declared that it would be a battle royal if Borah wanted to fight.

The decision of the administration to call off the bill also is connected by some with the recent activities of muckrakers. Certain experienced muckrakers have been making persistent inquiry into the history of this legislation and its effect on Alaska. Their effort has been directed, it is understood, to connect the origin of the legislation with John Hays Hammond, the mining expert who draws the biggest salary in the world from the Guggenheims. Hammond has of late been active in politics, being at the head of the National Organization of Young Men's Republican Clubs and being associated to some extent with President Taft. It is said that the results of this muck raking effort were intended for publication within a few days.

WHISKY DECISION NOW LAW; APPROVED BY THREE OFFICERS

Taft Rulings Hold That Blends Must Be So Labeled—Restricts "Straight" to Grain Distillates.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 16.—President Taft's decision in the liquor controversy that "whisky is whisky," whether it be blended or straight, has been formulated in a set of regulations prepared by the board of food and drugs inspection of the department of agriculture. The regulations today were approved by Secretary Wilson, Secretary MacVeagh, and Secretary Nagel.

In brief, they declare that all unmixed spirits distilled from grain, prepared in the customary ways, are entitled to the name "whisky" without qualification. Blended whisky must be labeled as such.

The term "whisky," however, is restricted to distillates from grain, and distillates from other substances if labeled "whisky" are misbranded and the person guilty of misbranding may be prosecuted.

POSTAL BANK UP TO SENATE.

Members Forced to Choose Between Taft's Demand and That of Financial Leaders at Home.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Washington, D. C., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—The senate must fish or cut bait on the postal savings proposal. This situation was brought about today by Senator Beveridge when he let the administration's Alaskan bill fall into the bottomless pit. It having been determined that the Alaskan bill should fail, the Indiana senator determined to make its failure count for something in advancing the rest of the president's program. He laid upon the shoulders of Senator Carter the burden of making the postal savings bill the unfinished business of the senate.

This brings the senate face to face with the choice which many of them must make between following the pronounced view of President Taft and the word which they get from the country banks at home.

The campaign of the banks has been persistent. They have impressed it upon the senators and representatives that they want no postal savings system at all. But the most persistent of their demands is that, if a postal bank be established, provision shall be made for the state banks, as well as the national, to become depositories of the postal funds.

TWO ARRESTS IN GIRL TRAGEDY.

Seyler Brothers Taken in Petersburg, Va., in Connection with Death of Jane Adams at Atlantic City.

Petersburg, Va., Feb. 16.—William Seyler and his brother, Arvis, wanted in Atlantic City, N. J., in connection with the death of Jane Adams, the "pier murder" victim, whose body was found on the beach, were arrested here tonight. They refuse to discuss the case. William Seyler was the last person seen with the Adams girl, who disappeared on the night of Feb. 4.

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trivial bills to a great extent. Legislators do not attend the committee meetings.

The insurgents, both in the senate and house, not only are not placated, but with the wide revolt in the west spreading have become more belligerent. They are making charges that the president's program of legislation is liberally loaded with concessions to the big corporations. They see the hand of Aldrich in more than one of the president's measures. They freely predict that, because of the alliance they say exists between Taft and Aldrich, the whole Taft program is likely to fail.

So near to a crisis is the situation that the president called into conference today both Senator Carter, the author of the postal savings bank bill, and Senator Beveridge. Senator Carter told the president all about the disorganization in congress and the lack of attendance at the committee meetings. He expressed the hope that the situation would improve in the course of a fortnight.

COMMENT ON THE POLL.

Following is press comment throughout the country on THE TRIBUNE poll:

NEW YORK EVENING POST (Ind.)—"The insurgent movement which only six months ago was as a cloud of the size of a man's hand, is now covering the horizon, and it is well to remember that we are still enough of one country to make it impossible for the east to remain unaffected when the west is stirred to its depths. How deep down the resentment against the ancient domination of Cannon and Aldrich goes, is indicated in the latest poll taken by THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.

"One thing is clear, and that is, in spite of the bitter campaign that has been carried on against Cannon the man, the country's hostility to the tariff and to Cannon is pretty nearly of the same intensity. The man cannot be separated from his work. And unless such men as Cannon and Aldrich and their works can be separated from the Republican party, there are hard times in store for it."

SALINA (KAS.) JOURNAL (Rep.)—"Money is powerful in politics, but money cannot win a fight when the people are awake to the situation. And the people are awake. The poll of THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE points out one moral, that is the defeat, overwhelmingly and decisively, of a vast majority of candidates who go into the coming congressional campaign apologizing for or defending Cannon or the Cannon policies of corporation control."

"Own Stand Is Vindicated."

MARYVILLE (MO.) REPUBLICAN (Rep.)—"THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE'S poll of the Republican editors of twenty-six western states gives this paper particular pleasure. It has been 'read out of the party' so often in the last year, and has been so bitterly 'knocked on' by politicians and unreasonable standpatters, that it desired much to see its attitude upheld by the west in general.

"If these 'knockers' and politicians 'read this paper out of the party,' what will they do with those other 2,800 Republican papers from Ohio to California which finally take the same view as this paper? Will they read them all out?

"After all, there is some satisfaction in a newspaper being honest with itself and giving its readers sincere opinions on the questions of the day. The editor of the political organ may some day win a postoffice, or land some other form of political 'pie,' but he must sell his freedom in doing so."

Must Cast Off Interests.

GALESBURG MAIL (Rep.)—"The figures of the result are significant. They should be read with almost breathless interest by the congressmen who through thick and thin, storm and shine have stood behind Aldrich, Payne, Cannon, and the special interests.

"Illinois Republicans dislike seeing the party made a pliant tool of the trusts and great corporations. If the Republican party is to endure the interests of the people must be its first consideration, and let us say right here that the Republican party will endure."

COLUMBUS (O.) STATE JOURNAL (Rep.)—"These figures are important as showing the trend of public opinion upon the great subjects of Cannonism and Aldrichism. How the Republican party stands upon these issues is plainly indicated. The figures disclose the winning ideas in the Republican party and what the Republican party stands for when it does win."

No Chance for Conversion.

CEDAR RAPIDS (IA.) GAZETTE (Rep.)—"It is said the Republican congressional committee, which is dominated by the standpatters, will try to convert the voters of the west (including the Republican editors) to an indorsement of the Aldrich-Cannon tariff law. It 'can't be did.' The country is no longer ignorant on tariff matters; the people have been coming into the light; they know how tariff schedules are written and why they are written as most of them have been. The old tariff bunko game is 'up' because the voters are 'on.' The voters know Senator Elkins told the truth when he declared in effect that the making of a tariff law has become largely an associated grab game. Induce the voters to approve the Aldrich-Cannon tariff law? The Republican congressional committee might as well ask the voters to approve a proposition to pay John D. Rockefeller a pension of a million dollars a year."

No Slap at Taft Meant.

OSHKOSH NORTHWESTERN [Rep.]—"Most of the editors who voted for a favorite other than the president doubtless intended this as no slap at President Taft, but rather as a reminder to him that Roosevelt aggressiveness, in their opinion, was better calculated to accomplish desired results than a policy of temporizing with the opposition—the interests of special privilege.

Situation Is Clearly Put.

AURORA BEACON [Rep.]—"There is no denying the tremendous force behind the expressed opinion of more than 5,000 Republican and independent newspaper editors in THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE'S poll of last week. In a remarkably clear manner THE TRIBUNE today outlines the present situation under the caption, 'The President, the Party, and the People.'

"'There is in it too much of "the white haired mandarins of congress," "the end of baronial rule," "subsidized assassins of legislation," "great baubles of money or power," etc. Such tricks of speech are often employed by those who merely stalk without saying anything. These times now the people have shown their lack of confidence in one who constantly persists in the indulgence of florid rhetoric to the exclusion of plain English.

"'The Beacon joins with THE TRIBUNE in its summing up of the whole matter as follows: "If the people in the rest of the northern states feel as do the people in the states who have spoken through the columns of THE TRIBUNE . . . the work of the people can be done, and the president is the man to do it. The mandate of the people is clear. Their attitude toward congress is certain. There is in him an undrawn well of strength and courage. God send that he will set himself to the task and grant that he may carry his work to a conclusion.'"

TUG'S FATE MYSTERY OF DEEP; NAVY SEARCH ABOUT TO END.

Chicagoans Among the Crew of the Nina, Believed to Have Foundered in the Ocean.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 16.—Hope of solving the fate of the tug Nina practically has been abandoned by the United States navy, and the problem likely will go down in history among the untold stories of the sea.

In the opinion of the navy department the tug foundered, carrying down the crew of thirty-two men, between Hog Island, where it was last reported, and Winter Quarter shoals light vessel, off the coast of Delaware, on Feb. 6 or 7, a few hours after it left Norfolk.

The commandant of the New York navy yard today telegraphed the navy department that the vessel sighted off Montauk point, Long Island, last Sunday by the steamer Bay View was the naval tug Apache.

The zone of search having been reduced to the territory between the Virginia capes and Fenwick island, a short distance up the coast from Winter Quarter shoals, the department is awaiting reports from the battleship Louisiana and the scout cruiser Salem, patroling those waters. If reports from them indicate that the investigation has been fruitless active search will be abandoned.

The commander of the Nina was Chief Boatswain John S. Croghan, U. S. N., of Washington. Among the crew were:

William J. Darcey, seaman, Chicago.
Jacob Deadwyler, cabin cook, Philadelphia.
Cleveland Erwin, ordinary seaman, Judge, Crawford county, Mich.
Otto Albert Faessel, machinist's mate, Cleveland, O.
Emil Parkemen, coxswain, Bay City, Mich.
Howard Ladd, fireman, Chicago.
Charles Kathary, chief quartermaster, Hutchinson, Kas.
John Schelles, boatswain's mate, Cincinnati.
Louis A. Troche, chief machinist's mate, Akron, O.

WILL FORM VICE COMMISSION.

Mayor Shank of Indianapolis Plans to Follow Reform Move Instituted in Chicago.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—Mayor Shank will copy the reforms in Detroit, Chicago, and Des Moines, and form a commission on morals and other kindred matters.

BROKER IN THE HOCKING POOL INELIGIBLE TO REINSTATEMENT

Punishment of Henry S. Haskins Amounts to Expulsion—Stock Exchange Seat Will Be Sold.

New York, Feb. 16.—Henry S. Haskins, board member of the stock exchange firm of Lathrop, Haskins & Co., which failed with the recent collapse of the Columbus and Hocking coal and iron pool, was declared ineligible for reinstatement on the exchange today because of his firm's connection with the fiasco.

As Mr. Haskins was the only member of the firm having a seat on the exchange, the action is equivalent to expulsion. His seat will be sold and he will never be able to become a member of th exchange again.

Mr. Haskins issued a statement tonight which says:

"While I am not in a position to criticise the action of the governors of the New York stock exchange, I do feel that I have been unjustly treated. The break in the Columbus and Hocking stock was in no way related to or affected by the condition of our business, as we had no loans called and on Jan. 19 our firm was amply solvent and did not voluntarily or otherwise sell 100 shares of this stock."

HARRIMAN AIDS ON THE STAND.

J. C. Stubbs Tells How Union Pacific and Southern Pacific Are Not Competing Lines.

New York, Feb. 16.—J. C. Stubbs, general traffic director, and E. J. Spence, eastern general freight manager for the Harriman lines, both testified today that there was no real competition between the Southern and Union Pacific railroads prior to their amalgamation in 1901 by the late E. H. Harriman. The United States government is suing for a dissolution of the Harriman merger on the basis that the roads are competing lines, barred by federal statute from uniting to eliminate competition.

In support of his contention that two lines could serve the same terminals and yet not compete for business, Mr. Stubbs cited the traffic over the Shasta route (Southern Pacific) and the Oregon Transportation company, a water route between San Francisco and Portland, Ore. Therefore the two lines did not compete.

Mr. Stubbs said the one-time passenger rate war was "foolish and inexcusable, except as an advertisement for the Shasta route."

CLASHES HINDER BALLINGER CASE

Counsel, Witness, and Members of Committee Engage in Word Battles.

LETTERS PLAY A PART.

Messages Sent by Glavis Regarding Land Cases Read at the Hearing.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 16.—During the session of the Ballinger-Pinchot investigating committee today, Mr. Vertrees, the attorney for Secretary Ballinger, continued his cross examination of Louis R. Glavis, but made little headway. He had several arguments with the witness, and during one of these Representative Graham of Illinois, a Democrat, and Senator Nelson of Minnesota, chairman of the committee, had a warm colloquy.

Mr. Vertrees read into the record today a number of letters and telegrams dealing with the calling in of the forest service by Glavis. During the cross examination of the witness it was shown that before he was called off the Alaska coal land cases in May, 1908, he had telegraphed the department at Washington that the United States attorney at Portland had urged the necessity of closing up about a thousand cases in Oregon, wherein a hearing had to be held almost immediately, and the full field service would be needed.

Three days later Glavis was taken off the Alaska cases and assigned to the Oregon work. Glavis testified he got no orders to resume the Alaska cases until October, 1908.

Letters Aimed Against Glavis.

Mr. Vertrees sought to draw from the witness the admission that when he telegraphed the department that he could not submit a report on the Cunningham claims because of additional evidence available he did not know that any evidence could be secured. Glavis insisted that he thought evidence might be secured in Alaska. He was not sure, however.

Mr. Vertrees asked Mr. Glavis when he first received word that he was to be supplanted. He said July 1, 1909.

One of the letters and telegrams dealing with the calling in of "the forestry" read by Mr. Vertrees was addressed by Glavis to former Assistant Law Officer A. A. Shaw of the forestry service. Glavis said the land office probably would "for obvious reasons" turn over certain papers to "the forestry."

"But I have copies of them," he continued, "and they will make mighty interesting reading to you. The reasons for my request for a delay will be apparent from my reports."

In a telegram which Shaw sent to the district forester at Portland he was instructed to assist Glavis and make his telegraphic report "full and strong."

Vertrees Quotes Dennett Message.

Mr. Vertrees next turned to the charge Glavis has made that he was called off the Alaska work in May, 1908, and got no orders to resume until October of that year. Mr. Vertrees quoted from a telegram of Commissioner Dennett of May 28, 1908, which told of an additional appropriation for field work and concluded: "Push work." Glavis said he did not regard this as referring to the Alaska cases, and that H. H. Schwartz, chief of the field service, did not so regard it, for on Sept. 23, 1908, Schwartz recommended to Dennett that the order taking Glavis off the Alaska work be revoked.

J. P. MORGAN SAILS FOR EUROPE.

Banker Says Voyage Has No Significance and Is Solely for Pleasure.

New York, Feb. 16.—[Special.]—J. P. Morgan was a passenger on the Cedric, which sailed today for Mediterranean ports. He said the voyage has no significance and that it is solely a pleasure trip. Mr. Morgan arrived at the pier in an auto and as he stepped from the machine several photographers tried to take his picture. The banker swung his cane in the direction of one of the photographers, who sprang back.

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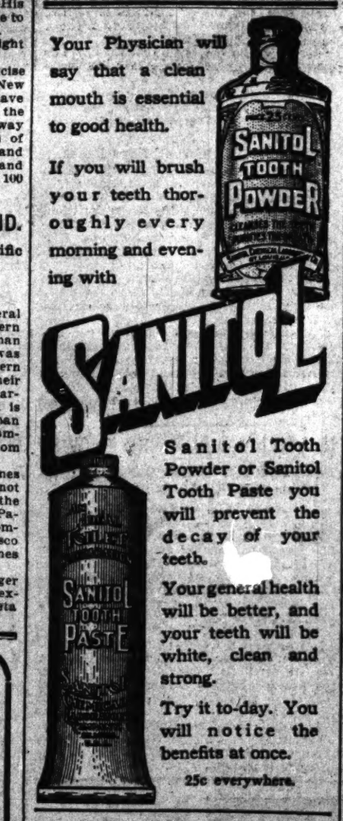

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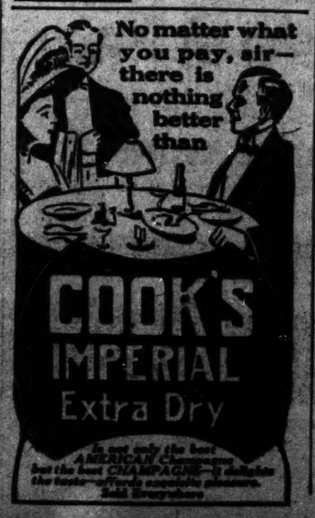

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Young men who want smart style and don't mind 1909 vintage will do well now. $15, $18, $20 values in suits and overcoats now $10. Better ones, $25, $28, $30 values now at $18.

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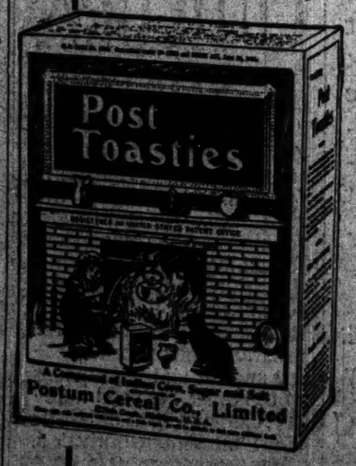

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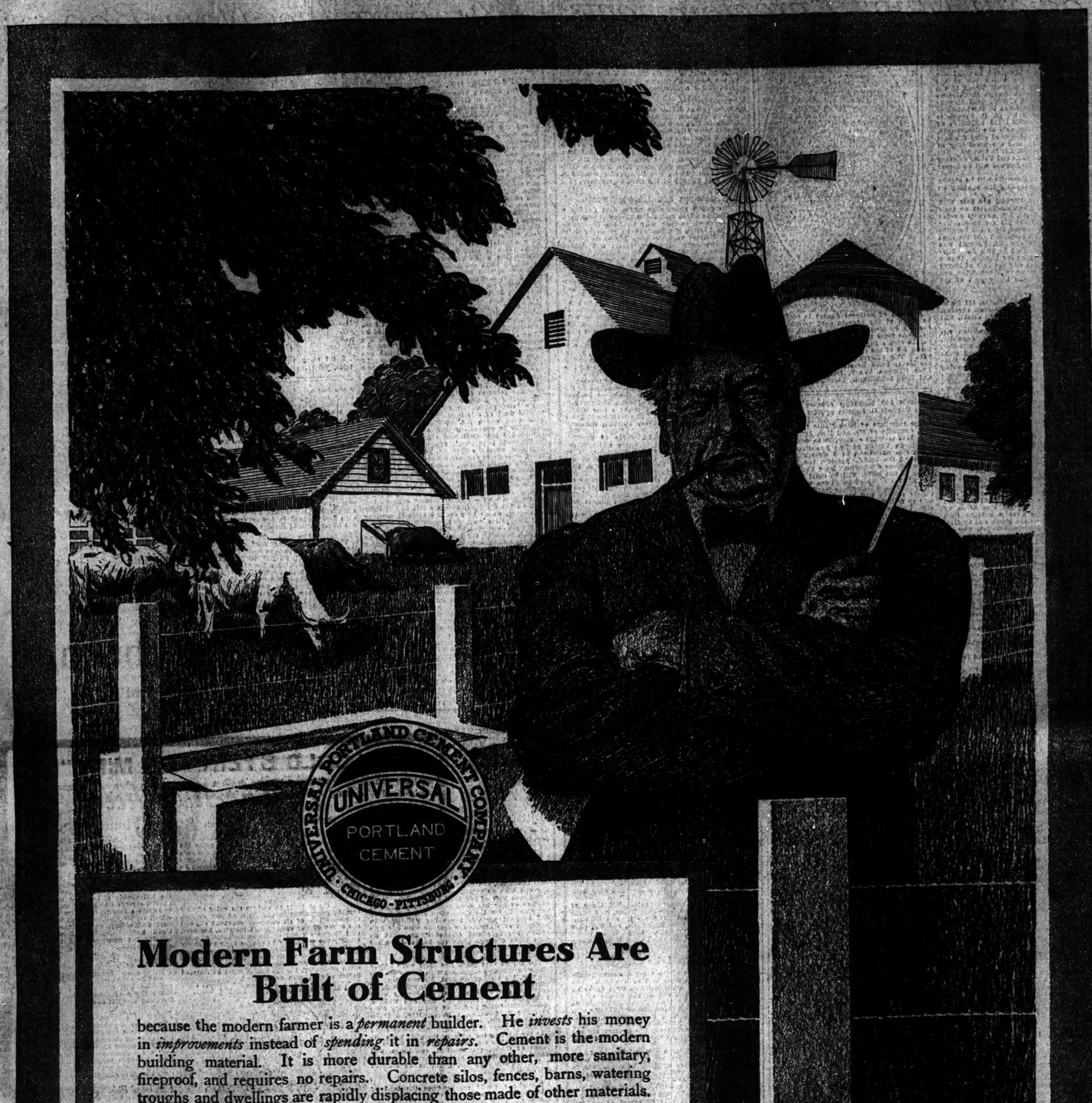

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Events in Society.

THE plans for the portrait exhibit to be given at the Art institute—opening March 7 for a three weeks showing—in behalf of the Children's Memorial hospital are assuming proportions which tell of the nearness of completion. Russell Tyson is the general chairman and Mrs. Joseph G. Coleman is president of the board. Mrs. Josiah McRoberts has been chosen chairman of the publicity committee, and Director W. M. R. French is giving of his efforts toward the collection of a noteworthy exhibit. Not only the Chicagoans, but the friends of the Chicagoans from the east are responding heartily, and the possibility of an exceptionally fine collection is assured. Tea is to be served on Tuesdays and Fridays during the three weeks. The invitations will be issued on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John S. Runnells will be among those giving dinners preceding the opening on the evening of March 7.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Farwell are now with Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Chatfield-Taylor at their residence, 831 Rush street, Mr. Farwell having recovered sufficiently from his recent accident and operation to be removed from the hospital and taken to his sister's residence. At the time of the accident to his eye Mr. Farwell was about to leave for the east to join Mrs. Farwell preparatory to leaving for Europe. It now is their plan to leave the city the first of March to spend a fortnight or so in Washington and New York and to sail the latter part of the same month for London.

Mr. and Mrs. William Paul Martin, 101 Bellevue place, will give a dinner tomorrow evening. Mrs. E. S. Worthington, 909 Rush street, will be a luncheon hostess on Saturday.

Mrs. Eugene E. Barnard of Evanston announces the engagement of her daughter, Esther, to Ralph S. Silsbee, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Silsbee of Edgewater. Both young folks are members of well known north shore families, Mr. Silsbee's parental residence long having been known as a center of young people's activities. He has two married sisters—Mrs. Francis Drexel Smith (Charlotte Silsbee), who lives in Colorado Springs, and Mrs. Frank E. Wade (Margaret Silsbee) of Aurora.

Mr. and Mrs. George F. Hughson, 5160 Woodlawn avenue, gave a dinner last night in honor of Mrs. Edward Lewis of Boston, who is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Mallers Jr. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Mallers, Mr. and Mrs. George R. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. George Rummell, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cubb, and Clarence A. Tuttle. The decorations were in white and red. After the dinner the evening was spent at bridge.

Mrs. Edward Hillman and Mrs. Albert L. Strauss gave one of the largest entertainments of the month yesterday at the Standard club when 400 guests were entertained at luncheon and a musical. The program was given by Miss Buckingham, who gave a musical talk, accompanying herself on the piano, and by Miss Ruth Klauber. Mrs. Maurice Strauss, who recently has come from Spokane to Chicago as a bride, was the guest of honor.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Betham of Hyde Park will entertain twenty guests at dinner on Washington's anniversary at the South Shore Country club.

Mrs. George B. Osgood, 5509 Calumet avenue, gave a luncheon yesterday for her sister, Miss Beatrice Lancaster of Cairo, who is here guest.

Mrs. Harold F. Shelton (Edith Johnston) of Dayton, O., is visiting Mrs. John F. Lamberton, 5015 Kenmore avenue, and is being made guest of honor at a series of entertainments.

Mrs. M. F. Maguire and Miss Juliet Goodrich, 1210 Astor street, are at the Hotel Wolcott, New York, for a season of shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Bentley will leave for the east today for a week's absence.

Mrs. William Houser Gray, 1515 Dearborn avenue, accompanied by her son, William B. Gray, is in Hot Springs, Ark.

This afternoon at 4 o'clock the Association des Professeus Français will have a stereopticon lecture delivered by Ernest Sicard in Recital hall, Auditorium. History of French civilization in the eighteen century is the lecture topic.

Miss Louise Brandt, 583 Arlington place, will

Miss Marion Goodell

entertain 500 tomorrow evening in honor of Miss Harriett R. Hamlin of New York.

The marriage of Miss Nellie Christine Murphy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew C. Murphy, 1148 Chicago avenue, Evanston, and Albert Wilkinson Vinson of San Francisco, will take place this afternoon at 5 o'clock at the residence of the bride's parents, the Rev. Robert Hugh Morris officiating. Miss Pauline Murphy, sister of the bride, will be maid of honor, and Mr. Riley Harvey of Oak Park will act as best man. Only the immediate family and a few intimate friends will attend the wedding, which will be followed by a small reception. Mr. and Mrs. Vinson will be at home in Oakland, Cal., after April 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Rubens, 4246 St. Lawrence avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Mabel, to Herbert Meyer of San Francisco. Miss Rubens is now visiting in the west.

Mrs. Max Wertheimer, 4927 Grand boulevard, will give an at home for her niece, Miss Joy B. Wertheimer of New York City, tomorrow.

Mrs. A. Auerbach, 4749 Prairie avenue, announces the engagement of her daughter, Jennie, to Gus M. Posner, son of Mrs. R. Posner.

Society at Nation's Capital.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—Attorney General and Mrs. Wickersham entertained at dinner tonight for the speaker of the house and Miss Cannon, the minister of the Netherlands and Mme. Loudon, and the minister of Spain, marquis de Villalobar.

The secretary of the navy and Mrs. Meyer entertained at dinner. Their guests were Justice and Mrs. Holmes, Rear Admiral and Mrs. Evans, Rear Admiral and Mrs. Brownson, Col. and Mrs. McCawley, Representative and Miss Fish, Dr. and Mrs. Fremont Smith, Dr. and Mrs. Randolph, Mr. and Mrs. Purdy, Mr. and Mrs. Putnam, Miss Jennings, and Mr. Low.

Vice President and Mrs. Sherman were guests at a dinner given by Senator Du Pont. German Ambassador and countess von Bernstorff entertained at dinner, their guests being Senator and Mrs. Root, the minister of Sweden, Herman de Lagercrantz, the minister of Norway and Mme. Guda, Gen. and Mrs. Clarence Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Wadsworth, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Legare, Mrs. Hunt Slater, Mrs. Merritt, Miss De Smirnoff, the counselor of the Austro-Hungarian embassy, Count Brusselis, and Mr. Heertmann of the German embassy.

Representative and Mrs. Frank O. Lowden entertained at dinner for Secretary of War and Mrs. Dickinson. Minister of Denmark and Countess Moltke entertained at dinner. Their guests were Minister of Switzerland and Mme. Ritter, Senator and Mrs. Carter, Senator Frye, the naval attaché of the Austro-Hungarian embassy and Baroness Preuschen, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gaff, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Legare, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Cumming, Mrs. Norman Williams, Miss Patten, and Commander Retzmann, the naval attaché of the German embassy.

Meetings and Entertainments.

The South Shore club offers next Sunday a musical in which Chicago singers will take part.

The chief number will be Liza Lehmann's "In a Persian Garden," to be given by Miss Grace Nelson, soprano; Miss Elaine de Sellem, contralto, John B. Miller, tenor; and Arthur Middleton, bass.

The series of addresses on "Democracy and the Overman" to be given under the auspices of the University Lecture association by Prof. Charles Zueblin will open with "The Overbearing Anglo-Saxon" at the Fine Arts Music hall this afternoon.

Cliff Dwellers' club gave a luncheon to Prof. Eduard Meyer of the University of Berlin at the clubrooms yesterday. Brief addresses were given by Prof. Zueblin, Dr. A. W. Harris, and Frederick W. Root, vice president of the club. About seventy members attended.

Bankers club of Chicago will hold a dinner at the La Salle hotel Saturday evening. F. W. Lehmann of St. Louis, former president of the American Bar association, will speak on "National Control of Corporations."

Chicago Central W. C. T. U. will meet at Willard hall this noon in commemoration of the twelfth anniversary of the death of Frances E. Willard. William P. Ferguson will speak.

Chicago Medical society offers a free lecture by Dr. W. S. Harpole on "The Hygiene of Later Life" at the public library building Saturday evening.

Clan Campbell, No. 28, order of Scottish Clans, and the woman's auxiliary will hold the annual valentine dance and entertainment at Oakley hall tomorrow evening. The chief address will be given by the Rev. John A. Earl on "Some Scotch Characteristics."

Epworth Methodist church of Edgewater offers an entertainment at the church this evening. Miss Gertrude Miller, Miss Ida Smith, Paul V. Archibald, and Ernest Francois will take part.

Independent Jewish Aid society will hold the annual reception and ball at the Unity clubhouse, 3140 Indiana avenue, on the evening of Feb. 26.

Grace Methodist church, Locust street and La Salle avenue, offers a lecture by Dr. Charles B. Mitchell on "The Original Idiot" this evening.

Crane company employes will give a farewell theater party and luncheon Saturday to Frank Naas, who leaves in March for a trip to Europe.

Moody church offers the fourth annual free concert this evening.

Chicago alumni of the Phi Kappa Psi fraternity will hold the annual founders' day dinner at the La Salle hotel Saturday evening. Addresses will be delivered by Col. J. Hamilton Lewis, Roswell Field, Karl Harriman, Thomas R. Weddell, and Harold Atteridge.

Chicago public library offers an illustrated lecture on "George Washington" by John Adamson at the Thomas Hughes reading room for young people Saturday at 10:30 a. m.

Evanston Country club will entertain tomorrow evening with a recital by the Tel-Electric company.

Northwest Military academy junior class will hold the annual dance at the drill hall, Highland Park, next Tuesday evening.

Social Drug club will give the sixth annual reception and ball at the La Salle hotel tomorrow evening. B. A. C. Hoelzer is president of the club, which has a membership of over 1,000.

Among the New Books.

New Side Lights on American History.

BY FRANCIS W. SHEPARDSON.

THE diligent investigators who have collected the materials for "THE DOCUMENTARY HISTORY OF AMERICAN INDUSTRIAL SOCIETY" (the Arthur H. Clark company, Cleveland) have placed the future under heavy obligations to them and, at the same time, have tremendously enriched the present with a compilation of sources which will lighten the burden and illumine the understanding of many a student of the problems of American history, social life, political economy, and political science. The explanation of the appearance of such a work is partly suggested by the lines on the title page, which tell of effective endeavor by several editors and of cooperation of the American bureau of industrial research with the Carnegie institution at Washington. In other words, there has been joint effort in bringing together the mass of data, and there has been financial help, without which the great undertaking must have ended in the vision of need of such a work, since it clearly belongs in the field of publications which cannot look for purchasers enough to meet the necessary expenses.

The completed series will comprise ten volumes. The first two, now ready, cover "Plantation and Frontier," and are edited by Prof. Ulrich B. Phillips, whose work in southern history has won favorable attention. The other eight have Prof. John R. Commons of the University of Wisconsin as principal editor. Two of them will treat of "Labor Conspiracy Cases, 1806-1842," the six following being devoted to "The Labor Movement" from 1820 to 1880. The elaborateness of the series and the thoroughness with which the search for material has been made are indicated in the 107 pages of preface, general introduction to the series, and special introduction to the first two volumes, which precede the publication of the first source text. From a physical point of view also the volumes are satisfying in every way, typography and paper being alike attractive.

No brief notice can do justice to a monumental work of this type. But the painstaking care with which Mr. Phillips has performed his labor in connection with a study of industry on the plantation and out on the frontier in the south is prophetic of great things. Every available source seems to have been drawn upon, such as newspaper articles, editorials and advertisements, diaries, memorandum books and plantation account books, special instruction books, personal letters, narratives by travelers, public addresses and reports. The amount and variety of materials is astonishing. An occasional note by the editor explains a point, but in the main the documents are left to tell their own story, which they do in a most interesting and instructive way. The details of labor as they were connected with the system of slavery abound, some of the typical topics being plantation management, routine, staples, supplies and factorage, differences in plantations, losses on plantations due to disease and accidents among slaves, to runaways, to bad weather, to debt, the overseer and his instructions, the indentured white servants, the free negros, the slave trade, slave conspiracies, and crimes.

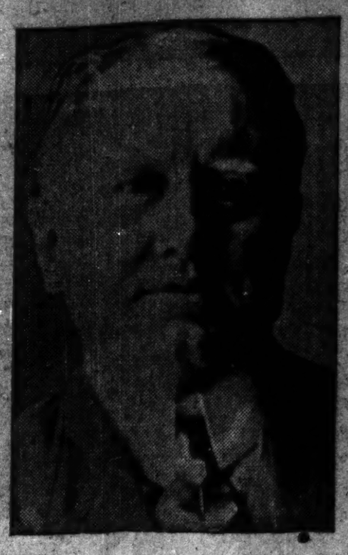
If the forthcoming volumes prove as valuable as the two in which these features of the social and economic history of the south are described under the skilled editorial care of Mr. Phillips, the series will be recognized everywhere as one of the most remarkable products of American scholarly research. The hopes aroused by the first announcements are more than fulfilled. No library will be complete which does not contain this authoritative reference collection.

In 1908 Mr. James Brown Scott collected and published the texts of the peace conferences at The Hague in 1899 and 1907, a comprehensive index digest, making all material readily available for reference. A second volume, uniform with the other, now presents "AMERICAN ADDRESSES AT THE SECOND HAGUE PEACE CONFERENCE" (Ginn & Co.). A brief introduction is followed by three addresses of the conference. One before the New York State Bar association by Joseph H. Choate, another by Gen. Horace Porter before Harvard university, and the third by Mr. Scott himself at a dinner in Washington, discuss in more or less informal way what was planned and what accomplished. Of the addresses delivered in the course of the proceedings at The Hague eleven are by Mr. Choate, five by Mr. Scott, and one by Gen. Porter. An appendix of a hundred pages contains ten documents of special value, such as "The American Project of International Arbitration" and "The American Project for a Permanent Court of Arbitration." This volume is one of the international library published for "the international school of peace," so that it has a double value. It gives to those who seek light on The Hague conferences the information they desire. It also has its part in the larger program which the library named seeks to carry out.

The plan of arrangement of material rather than any special insight lends interest to "THE BIOGRAPHICAL STORY OF THE CONSTITUTION" (G. P. Putnam Sons). In this volume of 460 pages Prof. Edward Elliott of Princeton shows how the constitution of the United States has developed far beyond the original text through a process of gradual interpretation demanded by the changed conditions of the national life. The title is quite likely to deceive. This is no collection of biographies of the members of the constitutional convention of 1787. Rather it is a study of the effects upon the text of the constitution of the ideas of certain great leaders as those ideas were translated into law or became recognized as national policy.

After an introductory chapter showing how the fathers framed the document after compromise, the influence of eleven men is discussed, the current history of the time being centered about the individual. From "Alexander Hamilton: Growth Through Administrative Organization," to "Theodore Roosevelt: Growth Through Expansion," the story of constitutional development is traced, the constructive factors being in order James Wilson, Thomas Jefferson, James Madison, John Marshall, Andrew Jackson, Daniel Webster, Abraham Lincoln, and Thaddeus Stevens. John C. Calhoun figures in the series as a retarding influence. The idea of the publication is an excellent one. The story of national development is told in an interesting way, although secondary materials have been used to a large extent.

An appendix of a hundred pages contains reprints of various documents illustrative of the text of the book. The presentation of the facts of constitutional history in this fashion will meet with favor from all who read the volume, and the main purpose of the author is quite likely to be secured through the awakening of greater interest in the study of the changes through which American organic law has passed during the years of national history. The unwritten constitution of the United States is just as certain an entity as the familiar articles and sections formulated in 1787.



O. HENRY.

Short story writer, whose latest volume of tales, "Options," is just out.

The tenth volume of the Moore edition of "THE WORKS OF JAMES BUCHANAN" (J. B. Lippincott company) covers the years 1856 to 1860, the last letter being dated in August of the latter year. The early pages contain frequent letters which show the discontent of Mr. Buchanan because his successor at the court of St. James is not chosen. The difficulty of the situation growing out of the Central American affairs is the occasion for a delay which is extremely distasteful. There are a good many letters in which entire indifference is manifested toward the possibility of a renomination for the presidency. But John Bigelow keeps Mr. Buchanan posted, and it is evident that he is thinking of the future. That the presidential position is not particularly attractive to him is suggested by the comment in a letter to Mr. Marcy: "I believe that the next presidential term will perhaps be the most important and responsible of any which has occurred since the origin of the government, and whilst no competent and patriotic man to whom it may be offered should shrink from the responsibility, yet he may well accept it as the greatest trial of his life."

The larger part of the volume is taken up with the various messages and papers of the administration, with here and there a communication of other interest. In connection with the inaugural address some personal letters are given to show that there was no conspiracy, as often charged, in the matter of the Dred Scott decision, but that information about the forthcoming judgment of the court came to Mr. Buchanan in a perfectly natural way. The bitterness of feeling toward the "Black Republicans" and the evident belief that the "northern sectional party" was to blame for all impending dangers appear in frequent paragraphs of the printed letters. As in other volumes of the series, there is a good deal of material absolutely valueless except from the viewpoint of one who wants to make a "complete" work by printing everything to which the name James Buchanan was ever signed.

Notes of New Books.

Louis Joseph Vance has made into novel form Winchell Smith's play "THE FORTUNE HUNTER," and Dodd, Mead & Co. have published it. There is an unrestraint and naturalness in his treatment of the subject which is unusual in novelized plays. The book is quite as enjoyable as the drama, which is saying a good deal. There are numerous illustrations.

Dr. Henry Van Dyke, whose book of verse, "The White Bees," has just been published by the Scribners, was recently elected an honorary fellow of the Royal Society of the United Kingdom. The honor is at present enjoyed by only one other American, Joseph Choate, former United States ambassador to Great Britain. The election of Dr. Van Dyke, it is understood, is the result of the recognition by the society of his literary merit.

"Predestined: A Novel of *New York Life*," by Stephen French Whitman, will be published by the Scribners this week. Although this is Mr. Whitman's first novel, he is well known as a magazine writer.

Charles Scribner's Sons will publish "The Glory of His Country," by Frederick Landis. This is a story of patriotism and self-sacrifice in the civil war.

The Wide, Wide World.

Belgrade Is Built Like a Big Village.

BY GEORGE A. DORSEY, PH. D., LL. D.

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BELGRADE, Servia, Nov. 20.—Few important European cities have had a more checkered career than Belgrade. My first impression of the city was not favorable. It was late at night and the custom house authorities took my typewriter from me, but finally let me pass with two bottles of American whisky. The whisky was not mine; I was simply acting as a carrier between government officials.

The ride from the lowland up the side of the hill to the hotel did not help matters; the mud was deep, the streets rough and badly paved, and the cab was old and rickety—but it held me up. The Hotel Moscow seemed decidedly big and modern for a city of 75,000 people, but it appears that it only pays about 2½ per cent. It is the property of a Russian life insurance company, built in conformity with the law which requires life insurance companies to own property in Servia. This is the reason the New York Life went out of business here last year.

Belgrade improves on acquaintance. Its streets are muddy and in bad condition; its sidewalks are worse, paved with rough, uneven, angular chunks of stone, but the average man one meets is shod with sandals and apparently cares little about his going.

There is nothing imposing here; no wonderful monuments, no building remarkable for its size or its architectural beauty. Even the cathedral is modern and possesses no great merit, although its interior, apart from its windows, is in good taste and has some beautiful paintings.

Overgrown Peasant Town.

The city is essentially an overgrown peasant town, and as Servia is a peasant nation. In the more modern quarter of the city are some good broad, straight streets, lined with trees and gardens, and good looking two story houses. All the houses have slate roofs and practically all are built of rough brick, coated on the outside with plaster, which in the larger buildings is dressed and painted to imitate stone. The outer walls of all the houses are tinted, light yellows and drabs predominating. Occasionally one is found in blue or green or white.

The majority of the streets are short and crooked, and perhaps four-fifths of the dwellings are of a single story, set flush with the sidewalk, and entered at the rear, which one gains through a gateway at the side of the house and a little narrow courtyard.

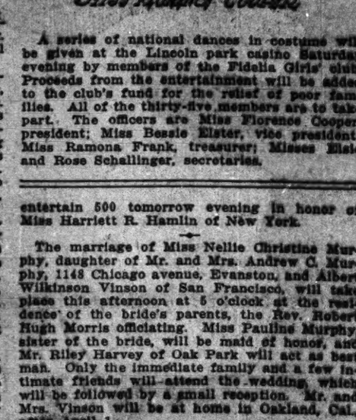
Modern electric trams, owned and operated by a Belgian company, traverse the city in nearly every direction. The tariff is not regulated by distance, as is commonly the case with European trams, but is a uniform fare of less than 2 cents a ride. School children obtain monthly tickets at a nominal cost.

The palace of the king, the offices of the cabinet ministers, and other big buildings are irregularly scattered through the main part of the city, but deserve no comment. I have seen the interior of several of these palaces and they give evidence of simple tastes and some degree of poverty. I have seen at least a dozen palaces of Hungarian county prefects which would surpass any of the palaces here in size and dignity.

Shops Like Those of Wichita.

It is when walking through the few streets devoted to modern shops that one feels the absence of wealth. They are hardly what one expects to find in a European capital. They might be compared with those of Wichita, Kas. Perhaps the most interesting business establishment here is that of a Servian wholesale grocer who several years ago emigrated to America. From peddling Turkish sweetmeats in New Orleans, he grew into a famous candy maker in that city. He was forced to give up on account of ill health and returned to Servia with $50,000. He is one of the most successful merchants here today.

When 5 o'clock comes all turn out. The cafés are crowded with men gambling at a furious pace, the favorite utensils of this form of vice being dominoes, drafts, and chess. But the Servians are also great card players, and I am told that much bridge and faro is played. They



Servian Peasant Woman.

know the American game of draw, but it has been largely driven out by bridge. It is said that in some of the country towns they still play the good old game of keno.

In the more fashionable cafés, such as the enormous one here in the Moscow, I am told that in an average crowd 90 per cent are officials. This would seem to represent about the proportion of society to business in the city. As in Budapest, these cafés are reading rooms; in any one of them you will find the leading daily papers of Budapest, Berlin, St. Petersburg, Vienna, Paris, and London. The city itself supports about twenty newspapers, the number varying according to the keenness of political strife. The largest of these papers has a circulation of only 15,000. They make little pretense of furnishing news, but are truly organs. And the turns they play is chiefly one of destruction or of vituperation. The news of the world is supplied by papers from abroad.

Servian Life Somber.

On the streets and in the cafés, in spite of what I have said, one feels the sobriety and somberness of Servian life as represented here in its capital. At any rate, the contrast in this respect between Bucharest and Belgrade is striking. Bucharest is a petit Paris, full of life in general, whether displayed by its smartly dressed officials and officers on the streets or its bright eyed women in carriages which whirl by at a reckless pace, not exceeded perhaps elsewhere.

Here the crowd seems more earnest. Cabs are few and far between, and mostly old and shabby. I have seen only one automobile in the town. The people themselves, while not possessing such finely chiseled features as the Roumanians, are more robust. There are lots of countrymen in the city; they are, as a rule, big fellows, all dressed in uniform rough brown woolen suits, with enormous baggy trousers, fashioned tight about the ankle, up over which extends a colored stocking, its lower part bound with the lacings of the sandals. Their coats and jackets are likewise brown, tight fitting, and short waisted. Big, high peaked black caps predominate.

The women are decidedly inferior in stature, but what they lack here they make up in transverse diameter. They also wear gayly colored home knit stockings, and over their broad swishing skirts, both before and behind, a gayly colored apron, embroidered with colored flower designs, not so beautiful as the aprons of the Roumanian costume. Over the head they wear a kerchief.

These are Servian peasants. But those of other nationalities abound. There is a large Turkish population in the city and Mohammedanized Serbs from Macedonia, and big, olive complexioned Albanians, with their queer, creamy colored, little skull caps, mingle freely with the Servians.

Human Labor Cheap.

Human labor is cheap here; a human porter costs less than a push cart or a wagon. You see men carrying great loads on their backs up and down the hills, out in the middle of the rough streets; great trunks, enormous pieces of furniture, boxes and bales, and everything which may be supported on a big, cumbrous looking pad which these porters use in bearing their burdens. Tiny carts from the country are not uncommon, generally drawn by a pair of slow, plodding oxen.

Belgrade maintains a national theater with a stock company and three nights of each week gives a performance of standard drama, chiefly from the French, although German and English plays are not unknown.

There are three museums, one of natural history, one of fine arts, and one of ethnology. The ethnological museum is of recent origin, but splendidly equipped to preserve and display characteristic features of peasant life. Some idea of the diversity of costume found in the kingdom may be had from the fact that there are perhaps fifty lay figures, well made, each clothed in some distinctive type of costume. Some of these costumes have recently disappeared and it is only a question of time when all will give way to machine made fabrics, cut after styles decreed in Paris or London. It is usual in this connection to exclaim, "What a pity!" and so it is—for the onlookers. But for the peasant himself the change marks an important step in his entrance into modern society.

University with 800 Students.

Belgrade has a university with 800 students. It maintains faculties of law, science, and philosophy. I have had some interesting talks with two of its professors. Both are men of broad culture and thoroughly conversant with the movement of modern science abroad. There is a chair of ethnology here, something found in few American schools. If half the time devoted to a futile attempt to learn a smattering of French or German out of a book, or one-fifth of the time devoted to the still more futile attempt to learn Greek or Latin were spent by American students in learning something of the principles which have governed the development of humanity in general, either from a psychological or ethnological point of view, American education would be greatly enriched.

Even if the time spent in learning the dates of the reigns of the kings of England were devoted to the study of the morphology of a non-Aryan tongue, such as Chinook, for example, and if along with this a few hours were devoted to the general principles of phonetics, American students would have a keener regard for their own language and be able to acquire more French and German than they now do in half the time.

I have saved the cake of Belgrade for the last. Its location is one of the finest in Europe. It rivals that of Budapest, and in some ways is even superior. The contour of the city bears a slight resemblance to that of Boston. On three sides it is surrounded by water. The center of the city is a ridge, sloping away on one side to the Save, of no mean size, and on the other to the majestic Danube. The two rivers meet just beyond the point of the city, and down in the valley is a great island in the Danube, the refuge of waterfowl. In the lowlands are the steamship wharves, railroad yards, and a few factories on the Save side.

Woman, Her Work and Interests

Just Between Us Girls.

BY SISTER MARY.

THE last year I was in college the girls of our class used to ask Martha every morning whether she was engaged that day or not.

No matter whether the engagement was on or not, we knew she was greatly in love with Sylvester, but seldom have any of us seen any one with so volatile a nature as Martha's. The flaxen hair of her head and the long black feather of her hat even seemed to partake of her moods. On the days when she was happy and buoyant we would see her walking with springing step across the campus with her Sylvester, her hair and feather flying. But on days when she was glum the hair and feather drooped dismally.

The things that made her glum were nearly always something connected with Sylvester—his conduct, his lack of conduct, his mistakes and caprices; although, to be quite fair with him, he exhibited few of these last considering what a dashing young fellow he was and what a splendid following he had of girls. Every time anything went wrong, however, Martha broke her engagement, and she always told everybody the instant it was "off." She would come into the waiting room where the girls were sitting on couches and rocking chairs absorbed in books of Greek, mathematics, and Latin, and would announce with perfect gravity that she and Sylvester were not going to be married after all.

Everybody would return from the land of college algebra and ancient Greek with a quiet smile on their upturned faces, but Martha could never see anything to laugh about. One time she broke her engagement because Sylvester had not kept his appointment to come to see her the night before. The reason he didn't come was because he had been arrested for speeding and did not disentangle himself from the arms of the law in time to call on a young woman. But Martha broke the engagement and announced the fact before she saw him to get his explanation.

The next we heard was that Sylvester had obtained a marriage license secretly and was married. Everybody said: "Thank goodness! Now they'll get along all right surely!" when word came that he was married, but not to Martha! After that Martha's hair and feather drooped dismally across the campus for many a day.

The thing that made me think of that story years after it happened was a little thing in the paper the other day about a woman applying for a divorce because she had been deserted by her husband for one day. At the end of twenty-four hours it seems that her husband came home and they made up. Somebody asked her if she didn't know she had to be deserted for two years before she could get a divorce on the grounds of abandonment.

I haven't the heart to make sweeping deductions from these two instances. Every time I write one I scratch it out, because the big, wistful eyes seem to be looking at me of those thousands of women whose very badge is patience and postponement, who uncomplainingly arrange their plans to suit some man's and then say nothing when the man alters his without telling them. But they are the peacemakers of the world, and without belittling them I may say that woman are a little impetuous.

They take everything as final. They fall a little in love and they rush off and marry. They fall a little out of love, and they rush off for a divorce, and their movements are not always enveloped in a golden silence. When a thing has not been serious in the first place they work at it until they make something serious out of it. So do men. They will get involved in some little dispute that doesn't amount to two cents. Suddenly one of them will call the other a liar, and that is a serious thing sure enough!

Still, men know something that women need to learn, which is that only one per cent of the troubles of this world come from keeping silence and biding one's time, and only one-half per cent of the troubles are matrimonial.

Beauty and Health.

BY MARIAN MARTINEAU.

IGNORANT: Extremely hot water ruins the skin; use it pleasantly warm until the skin feels soft, is pink and moist. Use quantities of the plain cold cream. It cannot be excelled for general use and will keep your skin soft and smooth for years. You do not require the skin food if there are no lines in your face.

MRS. G.: A tonic to restore the color of hair turning gray contains one dram of nux vomica, three-quarters of an ounce of cocoanut oil, and one ounce of bay rum. Don't imagine, however, that if you are a reckless spendthrift of your vitality the color may be coaxed back by merely applying a tonic. For extreme exhaustion and mental depression and disorders of the nervous system an entire change in personal habits is often necessary, for the health must be restored before any benefits are derived.

Tailored Model for Young Girl.

In diagonal linen with trimmings of bias bands and buttons.

Household Hints.

BY SALLIE JOY BROWN.

IF you have a white swiss or lawn shirtwaist made with tucks or lace trimming and want to alter it, work flat dots or French knots over it with black embroidery silk and wear it with a black satin stock with a white lace turnover collar. Work the dots all over the front and on the wristbands and sleeve tops, and you will have a stylish and pretty waist. Another way to retrim a last year's shirtwaist is to have the collar, center plait, and wristbands of fine nainsook embroidery, dotting the embroidery with black knots. Black and white for gowns, waists, and neckwear and trimmings is considered stylish.

French Knots.

In making French knots an extra stitch should be taken over the loose side of the knot and this will always hold it firmly in place. Bring the needle up by the loose side of knot and carry it down through the center.

Blouse of Chiffon.

Original and pleasing is a blouse of white chiffon and satin, the chiffon laid crosswise all over the body and sleeves in half inch tucks. Bands of satin almost an inch wide run up and down over these about five inches apart. There is a frill of chiffon to finish the front, a single one not plaited and with an edge of valenciennes so deep that it is almost yellow.

Escalloped Fish.

Halibut is best, cod next, and then haddock for cooking in this way. When seasoned just right and browned to a turn there are few dishes more appetizing, especially on a cold night, than a smoking hot escallop. Take one pint of boiled fish to one pint of milk, two tablespoonfuls of flour, two tablespoonfuls of butter, and one teaspoonful of salt. Make a sauce of the milk, thickened with the butter and flour and salt added. Fill a buttered baking dish with alternate layers of sauce and flaked fish. Flake the fish in coarse layers rather than too fine. Stir one-half cup bread crumbs into one tablespoonful melted butter, spread over the top, and bake twenty minutes.

Fruit Fritter.

Mix and sift one cupful of flour, one and one-half teaspoonfuls of baking powder, three tablespoonfuls of powdered sugar, and one-fourth of a teaspoonful of salt. Add gradually one-third of a cupful of milk and one egg well beaten. Pare, core, and cut two medium sized apples in eighths, then cut the eighths in slices and stir into the batter. Drop by spoonfuls into deep fat and fry until delicately browned. Then take them out, drain on brown paper, and sprinkle with powdered sugar. Serve very hot. Apple sauce is always the accompaniment for roast pork as well as roast goose.

Apple Whip.

Wipe, pare, quarter, and core four sour apples, steam until soft, and rub through a sieve; there should be three-fourths of a cupful of apple pulp. Beat the whites of three eggs (on a large platter, using a wire whisk) until stiff. Sweeten the apple pulp to taste with powdered sugar, and add a few grains of salt. Add gradually, while beating constantly, to the egg whites. Pile lightly in a glass dish, chill thoroughly, and serve with boiled custard.

Sardines on Toast.

Drain off the oil from a can of sardines. Cover with boiling water. Heat enough tomato catsup to cover the sardines as a sauce. Place the sardines in layers on hot buttered toast and cover with hot catsup. This will be found to be an appetizing dish.

Maple Sugar Sauce.

Cover one cupful of shaved maple sugar with boiling water and cook until it hardens when a little is dropped in cold water; remove from the fire and beat into the whites of two eggs beaten until dry; add two tablespoonfuls of thick cream and one teaspoonful of vanilla, and beat until nearly cold. Serve with hot pudding or cake.

TWO TOWNS FEAR CHAMORRO ARMY

Madriz Prepares to Protect León and Granada from Advance of Rebels.

AMERICANS AS CAPTIVES.

Consul and Aid Are Accused of Having Given Assistance to the Revolt.

BY R. W. EMERSON.

[STAFF CORRESPONDENT OF THE TRIBUNE.]

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, Feb. 16.—[Special.]—The location of the army of Gen. Chamorro, the insurgent leader who escaped from Matagalpa following the bombardment of that town, still is a mystery, although it is thought he has retreated to the westward.

The Madriz government today sent 300,000 rounds of ammunition to Leon and Granada to prepare for an emergency, and this led to the supposition that an attack on one of these towns was feared.

Madriz Takes Two Americans.

The government today announced the capture of David and Carlos Williams, two Americans who had come from Honduras to join Chamorro's army at Matagalpa. David was an officer and his brother a surgeon in the insurgent army. Madriz says they will be given the same consideration as the other prisoners of war.

The government also says its troops captured Gen. Antonio Medes Monterose, a Guatemalan who was serving in the rebel force at Matagalpa.

The local newspapers are attacking Olivares and Caldera, representatives of the American government in Nicaragua, who, they allege, are siding with the insurgents because of family connections.

All Americans Are Safe.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Washington, D. C., Feb. 16.—Americans in the Matagalpa district, now the war center in the Nicaraguan revolution, are all well, according to the report of Consul Olivares, who went there in person to investigate the complaints of outrages. The report of Olivares, which has been transmitted to the state department by Vice Consul Caldera at Managua, makes no further comment upon conditions in Matagalpa than to say Americans there are safe.

It was reported in the revolutionary circles today that a further investigation of the Nicaraguan situation was being made by Lieutenant Commander Symington of the navy and Lieut. Price of the marine corps. There is a feeling of decided uneasiness among the Central American diplomats as to what the report of those two officers will be.

It is forecast here that Chamorro and the main wing of his army will next be heard from at Granada.

CHAMBERLAIN, ILL AND WEAK, TAKES OATH IN THE COMMONS

Nationalists Have Called Meeting at Which Redmond Will Tell Plans for the Future.

LONDON, Feb. 16.—For the first time since he was stricken with paralysis years ago, Joseph Chamberlain appeared in the house of commons today and took the oath as a member of the new parliament.

The whole scene was painful to those who recalled the vigor exhibited by the statesman upon his last previous appearance in the house. Today his frame was shrunken and his features ashen. He was unable to move without assistance and but haltingly whispered the words of the oath after his son had spoken them in his ear.

The Nationalists have been summoned to a meeting in Westminster on Monday, when John Redmond will explain the situation and the result of his negotiations with the government. The outlook is now regarded as more promising for the government. It is understood that the course of procedure in parliament will be a formal first reading of the house of lords veto bill immediately after the address is voted. Then in the interval which is always necessary before the second reading is proceeded with the budget will be reintroduced.

RARER SUBSTANCE IS FOUND BY DISCOVERER OF RADIUM.

Polonium Produced by Mme. Curie, Who, with Husband, First Disclosed Other Substance to World.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

BERLIN, Feb. 16.—In an address at the Academy of Sciences last night, Prof. Lippmann announced that Mme. Curie, who, with her husband, the late Prof. Curie, discovered radium, has been successful in research work in connection with polonium, an element which is described as 5,000 times more rare than radium.

She has succeeded in obtaining a tenth of a milligram of the new element. She states that it possesses radio activity superior to that of radium. As against this, however, radium conserves its energy for an indefinite period, whereas polonium disappears rapidly. During Mme. Curie's experiments, which covered a period of 140 days, the quantity of polonium which she used diminished by 50 per cent.

The infinitesimal quantity of polonium obtained was the result of treating five tons of pitchblende with hydrochloric acid.

FAIRBANKS IS GUEST OF HILL.

Many Leaders of All Walks of Life in Berlin Attend Banquet of Ambassador.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

BERLIN, Feb. 16.—Former Vice President Fairbanks was the guest of honor at a stag luncheon today given at the embassy by Dr. Hill, the American ambassador. The other guests included Herr Dernberg, secretary for the colonies; Herr von Gwinner, director of the Deutsche bank; Herr von Trott Zu Solz, Prussian minister of education; Prof. Harnack, the famous theologian, and President Benjamin Ide Wheeler of the University of California.

PLANS FOR WAR CONTINUE.

Peru and Ecuador Nearer Conflict, Foreign Merchants Hoping Uncle Sam Will Intervene to Prevent It.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

LIMA, Peru, Feb. 16.—Preparations for war on the part of both Peru and Ecuador, the trouble growing out of the boundary dispute between the two countries, continue. The only hope of foreign merchants is that the United States will intervene and prevent hostilities, which would mean the absolute ruin of both Peru and Ecuador.

NEW PLEA IN SPRECKELS CASE.

Rudolph and Claus File Petition Asking Appointment of Special Administrators.

San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 16.—Application for appointment of special administrators of the estate of their mother, Mrs. Anna Christina Spreckles, was filed today by Rudolph and Claus Spreckels. No will was filed, and the petitioners say they have seen none. Judge Coffey will act upon the application tomorrow.

ROOSEVELT DELAYS HIS TRIP

Plans for European Visits Held Back by Side Journey.

WIFE SOON TO MEET HIM.

Former President Expresses Thanks for African Welcome.

GONDOKORO, Sudan, on the Upper Nile, Feb. 16.—Until Col. Roosevelt reaches Khartoum it will be impossible to outline his plans for his visit to the European capitals. The former president was due to arrive here today, but owing to his desire for a hunting expedition for elephants and giant elands on the Congo side of the Bar-el-jabel, which will occupy a day or more, he will not reach Gondokoro until tomorrow night or on Friday.

The trip down the Bar-el-jabel and the White Nile in the launch of Gen. Sir Reginald Wingate, sirdar of the Egyptian army, will then begin. A short stop will be made at Khartoum, where Mrs. Roosevelt will meet her husband. The voyage down the Nile to Cairo will be leisurely.

The date for Mr. Roosevelt's lecture in Berlin is uncertain, but it probably will be about May 15. Prior to that he will deliver his address at Christiania before the Nobel peace prize committee. His engagements also include an address at the Sorbonne, Paris, in April, a visit to Italy, and hurried trips to Vienna and Budapest.

Col. Roosevelt will reach England as early as possible in the third week of May, and will sail for New York the middle of June. All dates, however, for the present are provisional.

The former president has expressed his keen appreciation of the courtesy with which he has been treated by the government officials, settlers, missionaries, traders, and elephant hunters.

RIOTOUS SCENES IN GERMANY AS ELECTION LAW PROTEST.

Number of Arrests Made at Kassel—Military Aids in Dispersing Mob at Neumunster—Several Wounded.

KASSEL, Germany, Feb. 16.—Following a meeting of protest against the proposed election measure last night a crowd made a demonstration in favor of universal suffrage. The police, who were turned out in force, were received with jeers. Several arrests were made.

At Neumunster, province of Schleswig-Holstein, a crowd hooted and stoned the police. The latter attacked with drawn sabers, but, being unable to disperse the mob, requisitioned a company of infantry, which with fixed bayonets cleared the square. Several of the police and some of the demonstrators were wounded.

The socialistic boycott and increased taxes are having the effect of reducing considerably the consumption of brandy in Germany. The socialists are maintaining the boycott with the purpose of preventing the empire from securing the intended revenue from the alcohol tax.

CASTRO PLEADS TO AMERICA.

Former President of Venezuela Seeks Permission to Live in Trinidad Instead of Europe.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

LONDON, Feb. 16.—Cipriano Castro, ex-president of Venezuela, has petitioned the British and American governments for permission to reside in Trinidad, where he recently bought a cocoa estate. He affirms he is without the means of living in Europe. He recently made an attempt to sail for South America on one of the Spanish Transatlantic line steamers, but the officials communicated with the American consul at Barcelona, who notified Washington, with the result that Castro cancelled his passage.

SUE SAGAN'S WIFE FOR $13,600.

Boni's Parents Seek Back Annuities Former Daughter-in-Law Refused to Pay After Divorce.

PARIS, Feb. 16.—The marquis and marquise de Castellane have instituted suit against the princess de Sagan for $13,600 back annuities they allege the count and countess de Castellane in the marriage settlement of 1895 agreed to pay at $5,600 a year. This annuity was paid until the count and countess were divorced, when the countess refused to contribute further to the support of her former husband's parents.

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Observing the circulation figures of most American magazines, and their experience in arriving at their position, it would appear that there is a sticking-point of circulation, up to which progress is reasonably easy, and beyond which it is enormously difficult.

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ELKINS' NIECE TRIES TO DIE

Actress Shoots Herself, but Doctors Say She May Live.

KIN AGAINST STAGE CAREER.

Entertains Friends Just Before Attempting Suicide in Kansas City.

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—Miss Agnes Elkins, niece of Senator Elkins, shot herself yesterday while in her room at a hotel. Physicians believe she has a chance for life. This note was found on the dresser: "I am tired of life and have no home or friends."

Friends, however, believe that the objections of relatives to her choosing a theatrical career was the real cause of the shooting.

Told Friends of Suicide Plan.

Miss Elkins bought a revolver yesterday and wrote several letters. Last night she entertained friends in her apartments and told them, as they believed, jokingly, that she was considering suicide. They laughed at her. Two hours after the guests departed at midnight a shot was heard and Miss Elkins was found lying across the bed.

Miss Elkins is 25 years old. Her father has been dead for some time and her mother died about a year ago. Shortly after she went to New York against the wishes of relatives in this city to apply for an engagement on the stage. She obtained a minor part.

Senator Elkins induced her to visit him at Elkins, W. Va., but could not change her determination to become an actress. She returned to Kansas City two weeks ago to prosecute a damage suit against the Metropolitan street railway company for $25,000 for injuries received a year ago, but the case was postponed.

Cuts Throat Beside Wife.

Cincinnati, O., Feb. 16.—Standing beside his wife, John B. Burke, chief clerk of the Cincinnati, New Orleans and Texas Pacific railroad (Queen and Crescent), today cut his throat with a razor. His injury is said to be fatal. He has been suffering with nervousness for a year.

Coming to Get Paroled Convict.

Word was received by the Chicago police yesterday from Sheriff E. G. McMartin of Ventura county, Cal., that he would arrive in a few days to take back Frank Nallor, an ex-convict, who gave himself up voluntarily on Wednesday. Nallor is wanted on a charge of forgery, and is a paroled convict.

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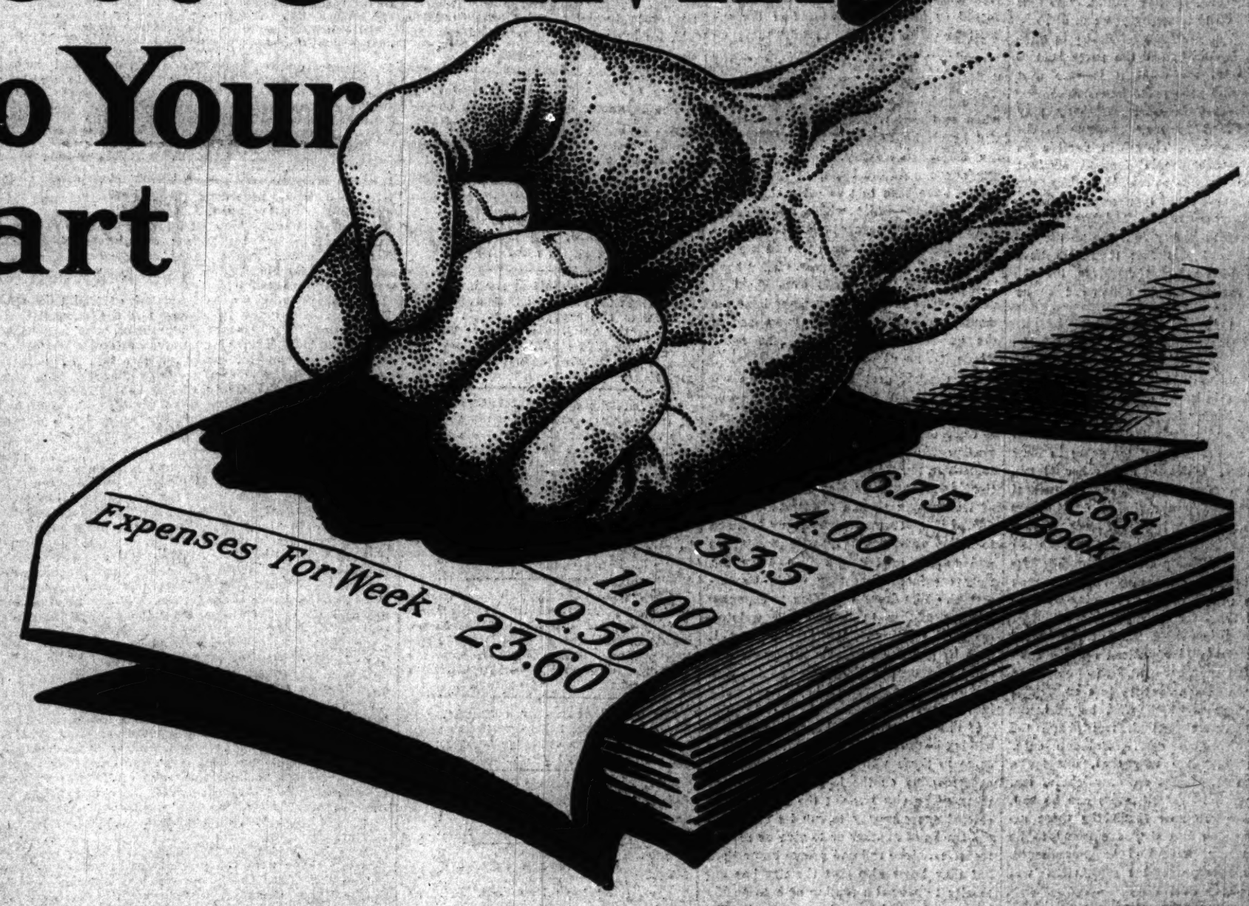

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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1910.

EXIT THE "BACK FROM ELBA" FAKE.

The whole country was being organized by the "insurgents" and the "Back from Elba club" against Mr. Taft and all the leaders in congress.—From the New York Herald, Feb. 14.

In the face of the overwhelming evidence of THE TRIBUNE poll this perilous rot should now cease. Unchallenged, the "back from Elba" myth might have kept the stage for some time, but the verdict of this poll, the verdict of an editorial jury representing the whole nation west of the Alleghenies and north of the "solid south," disposes of that. It disappears like a whiff of smoke before a gale.

Talk of the "whole country's" being "organized" by the "insurgents" and this apocryphal society might "go" if the Republican electorate were a town meeting. But with the testimony of THE TRIBUNE ballots before the party leaders it is exposed for what it is—one part ignorance and nine parts buncombe.

The "leaders in congress" may play the ostrich. They may continue to deceive themselves. They will deceive no one else. The people demand straight action and tangible results. They are behind the president's program, which is their program. If the "leaders in congress" remain in any doubt as to the full significance of this fact they will have none to blame but themselves for the painful results which will most surely follow.

WILL THE STRAPHANGERS BELIEVE THIS?

The English may be slow about some things, but in many others they are generations ahead. They would not, for instance, tolerate such traffic conditions in London as are endured for years in New York City, Chicago, and other large places in America. The disgraceful scenes enacted several times a day in New York's subway and upon Chicago's loop are almost impossible even in crowded London. Not only does the public demand, but the companies vie with each other in providing new comforts and accommodations for their patrons.

As an example of this, at the recent meeting of the Metropolitan railway company, the underground, the chairman congratulated the shareholders on the increased traffic, which was, he said, the result of more through trains and the use of Pullman cars. Pullman cars, think of it! Not only that, but for a small extra charge an easy chair, tea, and other light refreshments can be had. Two lines are now furnishing these accommodations and they are found to be more largely patronized in consequence. The Loop Improvement association will never believe this.

CO-OPERATION, ALIAS PROCRASTINATION.

Representative Lawrence of the rivers and harbors committee has kindly stated what the provision in the bill reported by the committee squinting at cooperation of the national government with the state as regards the Illinois river amounts to. The bill carries an appropriation of $1,000,000, but there is a string tied to it.

"Can one single dollar of this appropriation be used until congress approves a plan of cooperation?" asked Mr. Fassett.

"Not until the board makes a favorable report and congress adopts it," replied Mr. Lawrence.

No one should question the truthfulness of Representative Lawrence that "we are doing nothing reckless" in voting that million. Congress would still have a firm grip on it. But he is joking or sneering when he says, "We are giving encouragement to a generous and public spirited people"—to wit, the people of Illinois—"who are entitled to it." It is their desire to proceed without delay in the utilization of the wasted water power of the Illinois river. There is no encouragement for them in an appropriation hung up out of reach, and in the proposition that nothing shall be done, until a board, four of whose five members would be army engineers, shall have agreed on a plan of deep waterway cooperation. The engineers would not agree to such a plan, and congress would not indorse it if they did.

The Illinois house of representatives has in its possession the senate bill providing for immediate action by the state. It is offered a gold brick in return for nonaction on the bill. Surely it is smart enough to see and keep out of the trap that is being set for it.

ACTS, NOT WORDS.

If the Illinois congressmen who testified to their great and unbounded love for direct primaries a short time back wish to have men believe them they will pull their political followers out of the ranks of the opposition to the bills.

There are few persons in the state having any political information who do not know that Congressman William B. McKinley, for instance, is responsible for the members of the legislature coming from the territory included in his congressional district. Mr. McKinley's words are pleasant, patriotic, and reassuring, but his deeds are not.

The roll call in the house of representatives Feb. 1, when the primary bill was passed and sent to the senate, from which it has been returned to the house where now it is in trouble again, showed Representatives Joseph Carter of Champaign, D. D. Brownback of Shelby, and Charles Adkins of Piatt, all Republicans, voting against it.

Mr. McKinley may protest to guileless persons that he is not the keeper of his brother's political opinions or the dictator of his actions. He also may say that the moon is made of green cheese. It is easier to wish that Mr. McKinley were not responsible than to deny that he is. If he wants to wear a halo as a friend of direct primaries, he should earn it.

This applies with equal force to a number of masquerading statesmen whose right to oppose honestly such legislation is not questioned, but to whom is denied the privilege of talking for and working against it.

The bills with which the fourth attempt to secure direct primary laws is being made are now in a condition demanding decent, honest legislative attention. At least one of them—that dealing with nominations to the general assembly—presents difficulties which would be hard to solve even if they were undertaken by constitutional lawyers retained by a corporation to draft a courtproof law. What these difficulties are in a legislature overstocked with its enemies may be imagined. The thought should be promised to the men engaged in the work: A sincere effort will be made to place responsibility where it belongs, if primary legislation be defeated or invalidated because of the operations of its enemies masquerading as its friends.

RELIEF FOR THE LOOP.

The public no longer gets enthusiastic when told that within a short time there will be an improvement in conditions on the loop. Incredulity, the offspring of experience, gets the better of hope. The people have been told so often that relief was in sight—relief which never came. They have been assured that the committee on local transportation was to use the "big stick" to much purpose. They have been told the "L" roads were about to consolidate and would then make improvements which would be otherwise out of the question. There have been many words but no deeds.

Yet the prospect now seems more encouraging than before. The men who control the "L" roads have been affected to some extent by the pressure of popular sentiment. They see more clearly that something must be done to lessen congestion, and that their single pet expedient of lengthening station platforms will not fill the bill. They are more ready to listen to relief measures they once scoffed at and to try experiments even when not fully convinced that they would be successful. The dread of adding to expenses without adding to income has weighed upon all of them. It still does, but it may be lessened after the presidents and chief engineers of the roads and the representatives of the city have gone fully into the subject.

If this conference shall come to naught it will not be the end of the matter. All things come to those who wait, and relief from overcrowding on the loop will be one of them. The city has not the authority to compel one company to run its cars over the tracks of another or to give or receive transfers. The railroad people know that, but they know also that the city has authority to compel a routing of cars on the loop to give it its maximum capacity for the accommodation of trains and authority to prevent the carrying out of any agreement between the roads using the loop which restricts its maximum capacity or provides for its use in a way adverse to the public interest.

So great is the regulative power the city can exert if it pleases that ultimately the roads will have to adopt through routing in spite of the initial expense, and a limited transfer system.

It would be more politic for them to stop fighting for time, which is what they have been doing for several years, and accept the inevitable. If they do not, it will be forced upon them.

NOT RACE BUT RELIGION.

Dr. Hirsch and Judge Mack say there is no such thing as a Jewish race. Therefore, they would have the immigration commission classify immigrants of the Jewish faith according to the countries they come from, and not according to their religion. They are the only ones who are thus classified.

The point is well taken. The Jews today represent a medley and miscellany of races. There does not flow in their veins the pure, unadulterated blood of the Semites, who left the desert to settle in Palestine. As Dr. Hirsch has said, there were intermarriages with Greeks and Romans. So were there, no doubt, with Syrians, Babylonians, and western Europeans. In Russia itself and elsewhere in Europe there were at an early day many proselytes to the Jewish religion. One might as well speak of an American as of a Jewish race.

Furthermore, the German Jew is to all intents and purposes a German. He speaks German. He loves Germany. The French Jew is a Frenchman, the American Jew an American. They have a common religion, but in other respects they differ. Each of them is affected profoundly by his surroundings. As far as they are concerned, certainly the proper classification is by countries. Not until we know what country a member of the Jewish church comes from can we have a tolerable knowledge of the kind of man he is. "Jew" tells next to nothing. "Scotchman" or "Italian" tells a good deal.

It may be that the Russian Jew considers himself less a Russian than a Jew. He may not love his native land as the Belgian Jew does his. That would not be astonishing. It has had a tendency to put the Russian Jews in a class by themselves. So it would be far from telling the whole story to put them down merely as Russians. It is the fault of the Russian government that they are not such in feeling as well as in name.

There cannot be too full a classification of immigrants. It should be by countries and subdivisions of countries—from Sicily and Piedmont, as well as from Italy. It should be by occupations and by religions. That ought to meet the case of the Russian Jews. They would stand out in the statistics more plainly than if they were huddled up with coreligionists from other countries as belonging to a "race." It is comparatively easy to classify men as of the white, black, or yellow race, but it is wise to stop there.

HUMOR IN THE ICE BUSINESS.

There is something in the ice business which lends itself to the encouragement and development of humorists. We know of no persons who take a cheerier, brighter, merrier view of life than do they who cut ice in the winter and sell it in the summer. Here is a commodity which listens readily to one-half of the law of supply and demand, but which turns a deaf ear to the other. No wonder that men who deal in it are jocose and given to jollity.

Householders who buy in fifty and hundred pound pieces understood that increased prices in other summers were due to scarcity caused by the mildness of the winters and the inability of nature to manufacture ice in the proper quantities. Now, in consequence of a return to the old fashioned weather of our fathers the storehouses of the ice companies already are filled to the roofs, but there will be no return to the prices of other years. The ice business is not governed to that extent by the item of supply.

Mr. John S. Fields of the Knickerbocker Ice company explains that the price is not dependent on the crop, but on delivery, on the cost of hay and grain, axle grease, and horseshoes, men's wages and repairs for wagons.

The Aurora Borealis probably is a jolly old soul, Jack Frost a nimble witted jester, the north wind a hale and hearty dinner companion, and Joe Miller undoubtedly was an ice man.

ENGLAND is in a state of alarm over the decrease in the supply of horses. It is impossible to find enough to provide for the needs of the army. Have our English cousins ever fully investigated the possibilities of that warlike animal, the Missouri mule?

IT IS barely possible, however, that some of the prominent members of the D. A. R. are in error when they assert that James Henry Stark is the first historian who ever charged Samuel Adams, John Hancock, Patrick Henry, and other revolutionary heroes with moral turpitude. As may be ascertained by spending a little time at any fairly complete public library, other prejudiced scribes with an itching for writing history beat Mr. Stark to his particular "discovery" long ago.

LAST Tuesday the Spanish war veterans in Havana celebrated the twelfth anniversary of the sinking of the Maine. "Twelfth anniversary" is correct. The battleship Maine was sunk in 1898—and the neglected wreck still lies on the bottom in Havana harbor.

THE story that an enormous timber wolf is running at large in Englewood may be set down at once as a campaign lie, circulated for political effect.

ONCE more the Republicans have carried Philadelphia, and have created as profound an impression upon the country as if the Democrats had carried Charleston, S. C.

IN A MINOR KEY.

Artistic Repartee.

"How are you getting along with your statue of War?" asked the landscape painter.

"I'm putting as bold a face on it as possible," answered the sculptor.

In and Out.

Young Professor's Wife — "Lysander, you have explained to me several times how the overproduction of gold causes high prices, but somehow I can't get it through my head."

Young Professor—"O, yes, you can; the passage from one ear to the other seems to be entirely unobstructed."

Correcting a Misapprehension.

Caller—"I have been told that your bachelor brother is an avowed misogynist."

Mrs. Gaswell—"Why, Mrs. Jipes, there isn't a word of truth in that. He's a Congregationalist."

Giving Himself Away.

"You're always complaining about your 'ruinous taxes.' I wish I had your taxes to pay."

"What for?"

"Because then I'd have your property to pay 'em on."

(Snarling) "That's you, exactly! You'd like to have plenty of money to live on, without having to earn it yourself, as I have—er—that is—"

Assisting Him.

Ardent Youth—"Miss Dora, if I could only find words to express my——"

Enthusiastic Young Woman (impulsively handing him a small book)—"O, Mr. Grunewald, learn Esperanto! It's the simplest and most expressive language you ever heard of!"

Lacking in Adhesiveness.

Man with the Bulging Brow—"Who is that chap you were talking to just now?"

Man with the Bulbous Nose—"He's a glue manufacturer, but I've found out that we can't stick him for the drinks." C. W. T.

MARQUISE DE FONTENOY.

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AS Emperor William always has a number of American guests, official and private, at the grand annual maneuvers of the German army, it may be well to state that this year they will prove of exceptional interest. Instead of taking place in the western portion of the empire, where fortresses and forts play so important a rôle in the operations, they will be held in the easternmost provinces, where the territory is cut in every direction by rivers, streams, swamps, and dense forests, which the general staff, constituting the brains of the German army, have been studying for years, with the object of their utilization for strategical purposes in the event of a war with Russia.

Moreover, the practice hitherto in vogue in these annual maneuvers, of having each day's operations distinct from another, will be abandoned for the first time, and the sham warfare will go on by day and by night, without interruption, throughout the entire period of the maneuvers, in which the lessons taught by the war in South Africa and by that in Manchuria are to receive full application.

The German cavalry participating in the maneuvers, which will consist of a fight between the First and Seventeenth corps of the army, will be armed with the new long carbine and bayonet, which is to take the place of the saber. The men of the First army corps will wear for the occasion the new grayish green campaign uniform.

That the maneuvers should take place on the eastern border cannot be construed as otherwise than more or less of a menace to the power on the other side of the frontier—namely: Russia. For it means the initiation of officers of every rank, as well as of the troops, into the sort of campaigning which would become necessary in the event of a conflict with the czar.

Until now, Germany's annual maneuvers usually have taken place in the western portion of the empire, just as if to keep the French in mind of the fact that the conqueror of 1870 was still on the watch to protect the fruits of her victories. On another occasion the maneuvers took place on the northern coast, with the navy cooperating, by way of a reminder to Great Britain that Germany was prepared for trouble in that direction.

Now comes the turn of Russia for a similar intimation on the part of Germany, and careful observers of the course of political events cannot be blamed if they connect this with the fact that the relations between Germany and Russia are less friendly than at any other time since the accession of Nicholas II. to the Muscovite throne. That Russia should have abandoned her former alliance with Germany in order to effect an understanding with France that virtually was aimed at Germany was bad enough. But that Russia should still further unite herself with England and seek to promote the desertion of Italy from the triple alliance has shown the kaiser the uselessness of pursuing any further the policy urged upon him by his grandfather, old Emperor William, when on his deathbed he entreated him, at all costs, to cultivate the friendship of Russia.

Let me add with regard to these annual maneuvers of the great military powers of Europe, that when the relations between Italy and France were so strained, during the premiership of Crispi, the maneuvers of the Italian army invariably took place along the French border; and that since the accession of Victor Emmanuel and the resumption of the friendly intercourse between France and Italy, with corresponding coolness of the latter in the matter of the triple alliance, Italy's maneuvers now always are held along the Austrian boundary line, in view of a war with Austria.

Again, when England and France were on the brink of war, about ten years ago, just after the Fashoda imbroglio, France, with a considerable amount of aggressiveness, held her maneuvers on her northwestern coast, with the avowed object of initiating her army into what would be required of it in the event of hostilities with Great Britain.

Baron Heeckeren, now in the public eye in connection with his assertion in the states general of the Netherlands that the kaiser had on one occasion menaced Holland with military occupation, bears a name which to every patriotic Russian constitutes a pretext for expectoration in token of execration. For it was a Baron George d'Anthes Heeckeren who killed Russia's most famous poet, Pushkin, in a duel which had been made necessary through his betrayal of Pushkin's wife, the baron's sister-in-law.

Baron Heeckeren was at the time living at St. Petersburg, where his father was minister of the Netherlands, but was obliged immediately after the duel to flee for his life from Russia in order to escape popular vengeance.

In reality he was a half brother of Napoleon III. For he was not the legitimate but the natural son of the Dutch envoy at St. Petersburg, who had been one of the most favored admirers of Queen Hortense, and it was Queen Hortense, that is to say, the mother of Napoleon III. and of the duc de Morney, who was the mother of the slayer of the poet Pushkin. The Heeckerens are one of the oldest families of the Dutch aristocracy, and for the last 300 years have played an active rôle in the history of that country.

Sir Edward Strachey, who has just been reelected to parliament for South Somerset, who has been for the last three years treasurer of King Edward's household, and who will represent the department of agriculture in the new house of commons as under secretary, bears a name well known in this country, not only through his frequent visits to the United States but owing to the fact that his baronetcy was created in favor of that Sir Henry Strachey, who was one of the commissioners for the restoration of peace between Great Britain and the United States after the war of independence.

Sir Edward's younger brother, John St. Lee Strachey, is the editor of the London Spectator, which almost alone among the big English weeklies generally takes a friendly view of American affairs.

Sir Edward's ancestral home is at Sutton court, a fine old place in Somersetshire, and it has been in the possession of the family since the reign of James I., having previously belonged, among others, to the St. Leos, from whom Sir Edward is descended. Sutton court dates back to the times of Edward II., and is wonderfully picturesque, the trees and lawns of the grounds, as well as the stones and architecture of the building, bearing abundant evidence of its antiquity.

John Locke, the great philosopher, spent much of his time there with the first of the Stracheys to own Sutton court, and the house contains many memorials of Sir Henry Strachey, who in addition to his work as commissioner for the negotiation of peace between Great Britain and the United States, did excellent work as the chief secretary and principal lieutenant of the great Lord Clive in India.

CORRECT TIME IN EGYPT.

The working of the oriental mind was delightfully illustrated in a story which Prof. Turner told the Mathematical association yesterday. He had been spending the Christmas vacation in Egypt to supervise the erection of a telescope at Helouan. Capt. Lyons, who was in charge of the instrument, said that he had found that at noon every day a gun was fired, and was anxious to know how the system worked.

Accordingly he interviewed the gunner and asked how he knew when to give the signal. "O, I look at my watch," said the official. "And how do you correct your watch?" asked the captain. "I take it to the maker in Cairo and he tells me the error." Forthwith Capt. Lyons interviewed the watchmaker and asked him how he checked the error of the watch. "I get the correct time from the gun," said that simple craftsman. And thus time was told in Egypt.—London Evening Standard.

"THE NEW SANTA FE TRAIL."

A modern highway 275 miles long through the "short grass country" in western Kansas would not only prove an illuminating object lesson for the entire state but for all the country as well. The people of western Kansas have started a movement to afford the world just that object lesson in road building. From Newton to the Colorado line it is proposed to construct a continuous boulevard along the Arkansas river and call it "The New Santa Fé Trail."—Kansas City Times.

EMPORIA'S WATER SUPPLY.

People stood it pretty well as long as they didn't have to do anything but drink it, but when tub day came and they had to get in it a big howl went up, and from behind the closed doors of many a bathroom complaints about the city water issued forth.—Emporia (Kas.) Gazette.

A LINE-O'-TYPE OR TWO.

THE THREE SWEETEST WORDS.

Three sweetest words? They are, by heck,
That dulcet trio, "Here's that ten."

E. W.

Nay, nay, fair sir: as sweet again,
That dulcet trio, "Here's that ten."

"FOR heaven's sake, can't you start something?" writes a fair correspondent, and adds, melodiously:

"For what is life without a 'bug'
To put us in a merry mood,
And buzz within that inward lug
Which is the bliss of solitood."

Now, this is sheer ennui, which will require for relief an uncommonly fascinating bug. For this fair correspondent's interest is not easy to engage. Speaking of bugs, another correspondent, R. O. R., writes that, insomnia having threatened, he has had recourse to the circulars from the bureau of entomology at Washington. He recommends the pamphlet entitled "The Larger Corn Stalk Borer," which lulls like lotus. The consular reports are almost as good. When wide eyed with the cares that infest the day, turn on the light, take up "The Prospective Market for American Plows in Asia Minor," and presently Morpheus will swat thee gently with his wand.

"I CONSIDER the tariff a great step forward," says Mr. Carnegie. A great step forward for the Democrat party, perhaps.

MISSING WORD CONTEST.
(Prize, a wreath of smilax.)

A very pretty ——— wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jens Hansen Feb. 2, when their second daughter, Margarette, was ——— ——— to John F. Koos. Exactly at 11 o'clock, to the ——— of the wedding march from ———, played by Sadie Ray, the bride and groom, accompanied by the groom's sister, Katie Koos, as bridesmaid, and Henry Hansen, brother of the bride, as best man, took their places in the parlor beneath a large white ———, where Rev. Albert Dittman of Shelby performed the ceremony. The bride was dressed in white ——— and wore a veil and carried a large bouquet of flowers. The bridesmaid's dress was white silk. The groom and best man wore the ——— ———.—Harlan (Ia.) American.

ANOTHER cruel and unusual accident is reported by the Los Angeles Examiner, which prints a picture of a lady who was "bruised in rear end smash."

OUR COUNTRY'S FATHER.

AN ODE, BY CHARLES R. ALLOWAY.

[Note.—We regret to announce that the Ode is very near its conclusion; that only a few of its imperishable stanzas remain to be printed. We present a single one today—a solitaire; all lovers of poetry should commit it to memory.]

When all were fixed in silent grief, 'tis said,
Mrs. Washington, who sat at the foot of her Hero's bed,
In a cool and collected voice did ask, "Is he gone?"
Not a word was spoken, but Lear waved his hand along.

(To be continued.)

"A MAN is known, etc." While Mr. Taft cannot be said to have kept the company of Aldrich and Cannon, he has on occasion smiled benevolently upon them. And this has damaged his fair fame more than anything he has said or done—which heaven knows is nothing to make a roar over.

SEEMS TO HAVE WANTED THE "LUDEFISK."

[Letter from a Skandinavian merchant.]

G. F. Mercantile Co.—Der Sir: Enclosed plees find a Money Order for $12.25 to pay far 1 bax Oranges, $2.50 and far Lingon Berries $9.75—this is all is due now. The Ludefisk not come—many farmers coam hare and want the Ludefisk and not gott awey, soe I lost money dollars and trad for you not sent mi the Fisk. I dont want awey Ludefisk now, soa I dont take et if that coam how, cannot sell that after Christmas. Respect.

O. SCHJERDEN, Bottineau, N. D.

Many farmers gata mad far the Ludefisk not come and I lost tam, and you lose my trad for you not sent or shipt the Ludefisk.

THE decision of the Supreme court on the parole law is, as we expected, sweeping. Why are all decisions of a supreme court sweeping?

THAT SETTLES IT.

Sir: In regard to the form, "somebody else's," both Century and Standard authorize it. Possibly Webster does also, but I have not access just now to that dictionary. See "else" in those mentioned. Dickens, Thackeray, and Hardy all use the mode of expression; in fact, English literature is peppered with it.

XENOPHON BROWN.

"PLEASE can 'bread pudding' and 'ultimate consumer,'" writes J. C. L. "The writer has long been the latter of the former."

SCIENCE AND INVENTION.

Edison Blithers' latest invention is nothing short of a "boon to humanity," it consists of printing THE TRIBUNE on waterproof paper stock, so that when a reader is caught in a shower, he simply puts on his paper. Now let her rain!

UNCLE JOE is never more unpleasing than when he is frisking around like a pantaloon, discharging pleasantries at "Champ" Clark. At present the people look upon Washington as a battleground, not a circus.

THE RISE OF MAME.

Dear Doc: Say—the world do move. A year ago Mamie worked in a department store. Being on her feet all day she was sure tired each evening; and when one night Harold drove her home in his motor car, she was so grateful for the restful ride that she married Harold.

I just met Mamie's mother on the street, and asked her about Mame. She said, "O, Marie has just gone over to have an alcohol rub. Poor girl! she is all tired out from getting in and out of her motor car." Is that "some fatigue"? MERGETHOID.

MR. NIC COLDWATER has been nominated and thrice seconded for president of the Correspondents' League, and unless objection be made it is so ordered.

PARIS is prepared to lionize T. R. He reminds them so strongly of that dear Tartarin.

THOREAU.

"What do you read in Thoreau, dad?"
Said my little girl to me,
As she wound her arms about my neck
And climbed upon my knee.
I gazed into her eager eyes
As the simple word I sought.
"Thoreau, dear, was the man who wrote,
'Say the truth—not what you ought.'"

"What can I read in Thoreau, dad?"
Said she of the apple cheek.
I touched my lips to the morning bloom
Ere I presumed to speak.
"There's a Tide of Life behind us, dear,
That Thoreau has told about.
That tide may rise in your mind this year
'And drown your muskrats out!'"

"You never bought me a muskrat, dad!"
So I put my book away,
And I told about old Walden pond,
Where the muskrats swam at play,
And about the fish that Thoreau held.
And the ant who battled afar,
How Thoreau helped the sun to rise—
"The sun—'tis a morning star."

B. R. J.

MR. AND MRS. BILL HARD of Evanston, as their many friends know, have a little airedale in their home. They regard this creature as the ideal household pet. What, gentle reader, is YOUR notion of the ideal household pet?

MAY BE HEDGING.

On Saint Valentine's Day my best girl sent me a red heart bearing this message embossed in letters of gold: "With Love and Kind Regards." Is this sufficiently fervent to be considered encouraging? LARRY.

BY the way, how far does one have to get down to get down to brass tacks?

NO, Sylvia, members of the Correspondents' league do not receive theater passes. At least not from us.

NO TEETH IN THIS ONE.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Larson of 848 Racine street, a young son.—Racine (Wis.) Times.

AMONG those who will honor the Cement show with their presence is the Duchess of Portland.

THE Colonel and Kermit are after the giant eland. With great elan, of course.

EXIT Smell case. [Business of fumigating courtroom.]

B. L. T.

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE.

THE FUNDAMENTAL TRUTH.

Chicago, Feb. 15.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—Please accept my hearty indorsement and commendation of your leader in this morning's edition, headed, "The President, the Party, and the People." It is the fundamental truth expressed at the right time and in the right manner.

I am glad to express my appreciation of the able and effective manner in which the truth has been presented. "PUNCH."

"COST OF LIVING IS SOLVED!"

Chicago, Feb. 14.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—In THE TRIBUNE of Feb. 10, I read a brief article under this heading, in which John Barrett and others proclaimed the fact "that South American beef and wheat from the Argentine were going to solve the problem of our present high cost of living."

Why does not Argentina, with its immense crops of wheat and vast herds of cattle, solve its own problem? While in Buenos Aires last spring I was astounded at the high cost of everything necessary for decent living.

Rents, light, labor, provisions, in fact, everything pertaining to living, was many times greater in price than North Americans ever dreamed of. I found but a single exception—cab hire, which was cheaper. Butter is sold at 80 cents (gold) per pound the year round. Sugar (refined) higher than in U. S. A. by 50 per cent. Bread and meat were about the same prices prevailing here the last two months, but pork products much higher and little used.

Tailors charge uniformly $8 gold to sponge and press a man's suit of clothes, as against $1 here. For ladies' suits—sponged and pressed, $10 gold. For the laundering of fifty pieces of underwear I was obliged to pay $21.50 gold.

For conveyance of baggage from hotel to railroad station, $2 gold for each piece. For rent—a small room opening on a dark court, 10x10 feet, minus closet or bath, $4.50 gold per day; the same with meals, $9 per day. For a large room without bath—$15 per day without meals.

Clothing prices are worse yet—men's shirts, such as are sold in the shops in Chicago for $1 each, in Buenos Aires are $2.50, and 50 cent neckties retail there at $2.75. Men's shoes, $12 gold pair; women's, $18. CARRIE S. SPALDING.

AVOIDING ARCHITECT'S FEE.

Chicago, Feb. 13.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—The conditions of our architects' license law have led to a sinful form of bad practice in so far as corporations which keep their own force of mechanical and structural engineers employ a licensed architect to stamp their drawings. But as in most of these cases the work is actually well done in the interest of the owners, no great harm can result. But recently a peculiar case has developed. The owner of a downtown property intends to erect a twenty-two story office building and in order to do away with the architectural fee and also to have things his own way has engaged an architectural draftsman and a structural draftsman to do this work in his own office. As this structural man could not get his figures for columns and wind braces down to suit this owner, he has removed him from his position and is now going around with these undigested, unchecked, and unfinished drawings to find some architect who will stamp them for the paltry tip of $100. Unbelievable as it may seem, he has actually found some ready to steal a gentleman's intellectual work away from him and stamp a set of drawings, the making of which should be intrusted only to men capable of doing such difficult and important work. It is, of course, necessary to put a stop to such practices. Should any architect, so-called, do such a piece of dishonest work, I shall report his case to the state board of architects, and as I know the views of this board, such action will result in the revoking of this architect's license. Any structural engineer who signs these drawings in less time than a month from now will be reported to the societies to which he may belong so that a membership committee may act on his case. S. E.

ENGLISH RULE IN INDIA.

Glen Ellyn, Ill., Feb. 8.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—Your editorial this morning on "Unrest in India," like so many articles of American criticism of British rule in India, is not a true resumé of the facts. Over and over again have native schoolmasters, lawyers, farmers, and coolies remarked to me how blest is their lot under British domination. Previous to it they were at the mercy of Brahman priests and unprincipled judges and vakils, or lawyers. Their schools were nil, their law courts for the rich, their farms entirely subject to the elements, and their physical maladies uncared for.

Since the British domination hospitals abound, farms are irrigated, schools and colleges flourish, and the courts have been cleansed. If the British had achieved nothing else in their long career in India, their magnificent system of jurisprudence, which has made the nation famous, would alone make their occupation of India a blessing for all time.

The assassination of Inspector Shams-ul-Alam on the eve of the council opening was in no way an indication of the feeling of the masses, but an act of wanton spite against a Mohammedan officer whose loyalty had been conspicuous, by the secret chiefs of an anarchist conspiracy, whose boast is that they are irreconcilables, who never pretended that any reforms have appeased them, or any possible reforms could appease them. HERBERT W. PRINCE

CITY LIGHTS ON WEST SIDE.

Chicago, Feb. 10.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—Under date of Feb. 7 a contributor, signing himself "Reader," requests information concerning the gas street lamps on Madison street, west of Fortieth avenue. For his information as well as for others will say that these gas lamps are being operated by the city of Chicago, and the city is supposed to furnish the mantles and to see that the lamps are kept in good condition. An inspection of the lamps not only on West Madison street but in a great many other parts of the city will convince any citizen whether municipal street lighting is a success. READER.

INDORSES "THE TRIBUNE'S" STAND.

Paris, Ill., Feb. 14.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—Please allow me to thank you for the able editorial on the president, the party, and the people. Certainly it is great. H. H. HUSTON.

PREMATURE TEETH AND VITALITY.

Chicago, Feb. 7.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—I noted a report in your paper of today of the birth of a baby on West Taylor street with two teeth erupted. I wish I might join in the acclaim over this event, but I cannot, for, as a matter of fact, it is not something to boast and be proud of, but to regret; for, it is undoubtedly true that such physical precocity is always indicative of weakness, and it is doubtful if the baby survives. There are numerous cases on record of children being born with one or more teeth, and it is well established that such infants, almost always, are lacking in vitality. A. M. HUDSON, D. D. S.

DRIFT OF OPINION.

PRESIDENT TAFT'S BACKBONE.

[Minneapolis Journal.]

If President Taft's New York speech were meant as an exhibit to the country of his backbone it was a success. The country saw evidences of vertebræ.

The president evidently took the psychological moment to speak. The country was beginning to doubt whether there was not something Pickwickian in the messages. Congress appeared to be marking time and the opposition to administration bills of various sorts went to the length of objections on the part of Republican committee chairmen to introduce them. At the same time that there was this apathy in Washington there was nervous trembling in New York. Wall street, or a part of it, had a story that the president would soon run amuck among the corporations. The administration was in serious danger, on the one hand from the radicals who shouted "reaction" and on the other from the reactionaries who screamed "socialism."

STILL ON THE FENCE.

[South Bend Tribune.]

The address of President Taft at the Lincoln day celebration of the New York Republican club, among other things, once more demonstrated his consuming desire to remain on the fence. This is best illustrated in the position assumed in regard to the tariff.

The president practically reiterated the opinion advanced in the Winona speech last fall and at the same time reiterated the attitude assumed in his first regular message in regard to the provision for a tariff commission.

PLAN LONG LEASE ON RANDOLPH ST.

David Mayer Is Said to Have Closed 99 Year Deal with M. C. Stearns Estate.

LAMBERT TREE A BUYER.

Acquires Premises at 54-56 Sherman Street for $51,250; More Flat Buildings Sold.

David Mayer is said to have practically closed a ninety-nine year lease of the property at 112-114 Randolph street belonging to the Marcus C. Stearns estate. The property, which is on the south side of the street, adjoining on the west the Henrici property, fronts 40.2 feet, with a depth of eighty feet, and is improved with a four story and basement building, a part of the lower floor of which was occupied for many years by the saloon of the late Tom Moran.

It is understood that Mr. Mayer is to pay $30,000 for the building and an annual ground rent of $9,000, which is equivalent to 4 per cent on $225,000. The lease is on the basis of $5,625 a front foot and over $60 a square foot. The board of review valued the property at $137,925, of which $120,985 is in the land and $16,880 in the building.

Mr. Mayer holds under long term lease several pieces of central business property. E. F. Keebler & Co. are reported to be the brokers in the present transaction.

Lambert Tree, a large owner of property in the north part of the loop district, has purchased from Miss Minnie Walsh, Addie W. Guerin, and Mark E. Guerin, her husband, the property at 54-56 Sherman street, between Van Buren and Harrison streets, for $51,250. The lot is 50x102 feet, east front, and is improved with a two story brick building, which was valued by the board of review at $9,300, and the land at $54,600. It is understood that the purchase was made as an investment, and it is thought it will attract renewed attention to this district, which has showed much activity of late.

La Salle Street Property Sold.

Another purchase in the same district, made a matter of record, was the sale by William H. Holden to Edgar A. Bussell of the property in La Salle street, 372 feet north of Harrison street, 22x105 feet, west front, with one story brick improvements, for $30,000. The board of review valued the property at $27,050.

Record also was made of the sale by the trustees of the Carter H. Harrison estate to Arthur B. Jones, one of the trustees of the Marshall Field estate, of the property at the southwest corner of Clark and Harrison streets, 110x105 feet. A nominal consideration is given in the deed, but the price is understood to have been $210,000.

The Bowes Investment company represented Mr. Jones in the transaction and George K. Owsley the Harrison estate. It is planned to build next year a ten or twelve story building covering this and the forty feet adjoining on the south for the printing and publishing trade.

The large apartment house property at the southeast corner of Calumet avenue and Fifty-third street has been sold by Mrs. Bertha Cockburn to James Casey for $90,000. The lot fronts 104 feet with a depth of 180 feet, and is improved with a three story building containing twenty-four apartments. Mrs. Cockburn took in part payment 50x177 feet in Indiana avenue, 100 feet north of Forty-first street.

Buys Site for New Parish.

The apartment house property in Sixty-sixth street, 200 feet west of Washington avenue, with 50x127 feet of ground, east front, has been sold by Netta V. Backus to William K. Copenhaver for $27,000, subject to an incumbrance of $14,000.

The Catholic bishop of Chicago has purchased from Joseph Connor 132x581 feet at the northeast corner of Fifty-first avenue and Jackson street; for $7,400, and 125x461 feet at the southeast corner of the avenue and West Quincy street for $4,270. It is understood the land is to be used as the site for a new parish with church and school buildings.

In settlement of a pending claim E. Orris Hart has quitclaimed to the Mutual Investment company of Kansas City all his interest in the Ridgewood apartment building, formerly the Woodstock, at the northwest corner of Wabash avenue and Twenty-eighth street.

Rand, McNally & Co. have leased to Samuel Rosen the entire four story building at 326-328 Clark street, being the premises recently leased for a long term by the publishing company from the Havens estate. The lease is for five years from May 1, 1910, at a total rental of $36,000. It is to be used for saloon and lodging house purposes, but the lease is subject to cancellation on six months' notice in case of the sale or improvement of the property. Rosen has subleased to Morris Friedman the building at 326 for a like term at a total rental of $15,000, with the provision that no saloon is to be on the premises.

The Massachusetts Mutual Life Insurance company has made a loan of $65,000, five years, at 5 per cent, to Miss Mary Roset Smith and Niel Tykke, secured by the Commercial block property at the southwest corner of Ninety-second street and Commercial avenue, South Chicago. The property recently was sold for $120,000.

Break Ground for New Building.

E. Orris Hart & Co. have sold for Joseph H. Bultas to Alfred Freschl the six flat building at 477-481 Oakdale avenue at a reported consideration of $55,000.

Ground will be broken today for the six story and basement building to be erected at the northeast corner of Dearborn avenue and Indiana street, for the American Medical association, on 60x120 feet of ground. It is a handsome building of fireproof construction and will cost $200,000. It is an addition to the present building of the association and was designed by Holabird & Roche, who have just let the contract for the construction of the building to McCarthy Bros.

The announcement is made that James A. Ainsworth has been admitted to a membership in the firm of Farnham, Willoughby & Co. Mr. Ainsworth has been connected with the concern for some time and for a number of years has made a specialty of central business property.

Real Estate Transfers.

ROGERS PARK.

Chase-av., 438 w of Sheridan-rd., s f, 50x150, Feb. 12 [E. M. Parmelee to Emma Jones] ..... $ 7,000

Southport-st., 52 s of Albion, e f, 30x125, inc-umb. $3,500, Feb. 14 [John A. Rippel et al to Louise A. Poull] 7,500

LAKE VIEW.

Ashland-av., 99 s of Roscoe-st., e f, 32x125, incumb. $3,000, Feb. 14 [E. J. Piper to Frank Kandibinder] 3,600

Barry-av., 228 e of Clark-st., n f, 50x170, Feb. 14 [Frank W. Hawkinson of Syracuse, N. Y., quitclaims to Nellie F. Hawkinson] 1

Bradley-pl., 235 s of Roscoe-st., e f, 40x125, 1910, Nov. 2, 1909 [Richard W. Baldwin to Virgil M. Brand] 12,250

Evanston-av., s e cor Gienlake, w f, 50x150, July 17, 1907 [John A. McDowell to Michael T. Fitzgerald] 3,900

Hollywood-av., 178 w of Wayne, s f, 50x194, Feb. 12 [Robert Wahl to Andrew A. Rosenerans] 1,005

Kenmore-av., 200 s of Winona-st., w f, 50x150, incumb. $1,000, Feb. 9 [Lewis T. M. Slocum to William W. Hartman] 5,000

Lincoln-av., 159 s e of Racine, e f, 35 through to Racine, incumb. $6,000, Feb. 7 [Benjamin L. Coolidge to Walter B. Taylor] 1

Magnolia-av., 125 n of Wilson, e f, 100x153, incumb. $4,500, Feb. 11 [Jennie White to Richard O. Jahn] 12,000

Roscoe-st., s e cor Oakley-av., s f, 49x132, incumb. $2,000, Feb. 12 [R. Brulheide to Sophie Elsner] 5,700

Southport-av., s e cor Cornelia, w f, 50x120, Feb. 15 [W. G. Olivor to Frederick Becklenberg] 7,500

JEFFERSON.

Bernice-av., s w cor N. 56th, s f, 400x122 and c. u., in same sub. and in Wilmette, incumb. $2,650, Feb. 14 [A. Alfred Holmes to Charles Anderson] 4,800

Lincoln-av. bet. Argyle and Ainslie sts., e f, 50x125, incumb. $1,000, Feb. 7 [Henry Kruchten of Kankakee, Ill., to Edwin Zuehlke] 1,700

Monticello-av., 203 s of Wabansia, e f, 20x-, incumb. $1,000, Feb. 14 [Charles Feilner to Herman Lanz] 1,700

Monticello-av., 75 s of Noble, e f, 50x151, Dec. 27, 1909 [K. Kostrzewski to Frances Kostrzewski] 4,000

Wrightwood-av., 273 w of Western, s f, 31x124, Feb. 14 [R. Meyer to Paul Kistler] 4,800

NORTH TOWN.

Fremont-st., 110 s of Center, w f, 33x125, Jan. 31 [C. F. Marsh to Paul Valy] 1

SOUTH TOWN.

Clark-st., S. s w cor Harrison, e f, 110x105, Feb. 25 [Heaton, Owsley, William Preston Harrison, and Carter H. Harrison jr. as trustees under a deed of trust from Caroline D. Owsley and others bearing date the 4th day of March, 1896, to Arthur B. Jones] 10

Canal Trustees' sub., l 4 and s pt. l. 22 and 23, 38—39—14. Jan. 6 [Edward Polzin et al. to Benjamin Kanno] 9,600

La Salle-st., 372 n of Harrison, w f, 22x105, Jan. 19 [Wm. H. Holden to Edgar A. Bussell] 30,000

Sherman-st., 54-56, s 50x102, bet. Van Buren and Harrison, Feb. 7 [Miss Mary Ann Walsh, Miss Minnie Walsh, Addie W. Guerin, and Mark E. Guerin, her husband, to Paul C. Peterson] 51,250

Same prop., Feb. 15, 1910 [Paul C. Peterson to Lambert Tree] 51,250

State-st., 88 n of 35th, e f, 22x124, Dec. 7, 1909 [Armanella R. Brown of Indianapolis Ind. to Max Goldman] 6,000

30th-st., E., 339 n f, 33x180, incumb. $5,000, Feb. 14 [Sophie Soelig to Florence May Moore] 1

Wabash-av., n w cor 38th-st., s f, 98x141, and all limpr. Jan. 29 [E. Orris Hart quitclaims all int. to Mutual Investment Co., a Missouri corporation of Kansas City, Mo.] 1

Wabash-av., s w cor 47th-st., e f, 33x120, m. or l. incumb. $4,980, Feb. 15 [Jeanie Wallace and husband, Montgomery, to Irene B. Maxwell] 1

Lease—Dated Jan. 21, 1910, 326-328 S. Clark-st. the entire 4 story and basement building [Rand, McNally & Co. to Samuel Rosen] to be occupied for saloon and lodging house purposes, term May 1, 1910, to April 30, 1915, rent, total $36,000 annual $4,800; lessor has option to cancel lease by giving six months' notice, but the lessor can cancel only in the event of a sale of the prpy. or a 99 year lease or the lessor desires to rebuild.

Lease—Dated Feb. 14, 1910, 326 S. Clark-st. the store and basement and the 2d, 3d, and 4th floors of the building known as 326-328 S. Clark-st. [Samuel Rosen to Morris Friedman], to be occupied for any line of business except saloon business, term May 1, 1910, to April 30, 1915; rent, total $15,000, sixty installments of $250 each; privileges granted to lessee to sublet except for saloon business.

Rockwell-st., 23 n of 25th-pl., e f, 25x125, Feb. 9 [F. F. Bable to Emma Mueller] 1,800

HYDE PARK.

Calumet-av., s e cor 53d-st., w f, 104x180, Feb. 14 [Bertha Cockburn to James Casey] 90,000

Indiana-av., 100 n of 41st-st., e f, 50x177, Feb. 14 [James Casey to Bertha Cockburn] 1

Kimbark-av., 100 s of Hyde Park-blvd. (51st-st.), w f, 50x178¾, Lexington-av., 75 s of 50th-st., e f, [5x125 Feb. 7 [Arthur B. Jones of Evanston, Ill., to Harry L. Shaver] 3

Same prop., Feb. 14 [Harry L. Shaver to Louise C. Frank] 1

Michigan-av., s e cor Garfield-blvd., w f, 100x161, Feb. 8 [Richard J. Mulvey and Elizabeth C. his wife, quitclaim to Julia F. Mulvey Armstrong] 1

60th-st., 200 w of Washington-av., s f, 80x-, incumb. $14,000, Feb. 8 [Metta V. Bockus to Wm. K. Copenhaver] 27,000

Mortgage—90th-st., s e cor Commercial-av., s f, 113x165, Feb. 10, 1910 to Feb. 1, 1918, 5 per cent [Miss Mary Roset Smith and Niel Lykke to Massachusetts Mutual Life Ins. Co.] 65,000

LAKE.

Bishop-st., 150 s of 56th, e f, 32x124½, Jan. 15 [J. Larson to Maurice Sheehan] 1,700

Center-av., 246 s of 60th-st., e f, 24x124, Feb. 14 [Chas. H. Rankin quit claims to Homer E. Tinsman] 2,500

Halsted-st., 73 n of 53d, w f, 20x125, Jan. 20 [J. C. Korn to Jackson Moeller] 7,800

Lincoln-st., 26 s of 60th, e f, 20x124, Feb. 7 [W. C. W. Herrburg to Fred Bernstein] 1

May-st., 250 s of 57th, e f, 50x124, incumb. $1,200, Feb. 1 [Thos. H. O'Connor to John Flaherty and John M. Schroeder] 6,400

May-st., 50 s of 57th, e f, 50x124, incumb. $5,600, Feb. 11 [John Flaherty to Thos. H. O'Connor] 6,800

Sangamon-st., 244 s of 62d, e f, 25x124½, incumb. $1,900, Feb. 14 [P. A. Lundeen to Oliver F. Keltkamp] 5,000

CALUMET.

La Fayette-av., 475 n of 116th-st., e f, 50x129½, Feb. 12 [Garret N. Hamnekoal to Wm. S. Carstens] 2,500

La Fayette-av., bet. 105th and 106th-sts., e f, 29x121, Feb. 14 [C. G. Sundling to John A. Johnson] 2,000

Princeton-av., s w cor 86th-st., e f, 25x125, Jan. 11 [S. G. Johnson to Wm. F. Moore] .. 4,500

WEST TOWN.

Lease—Dated Dec. 31, 1909—Madison-st., W., 78 s of Union, s f, 30x186, or through to Meridian-st. [Nos. 666-668 W. Madison st.], Jacob Franks to John P. Collins, from Jan. 1, 1910, to and until Dec. 31, 2008. Leased purchases bldg. and fix. for $5,000. Rent $2,250 yearly during full term. Lessee to pay all taxes in addition. Insurance 80 per cent. Lessee to erect upon premises prior to Jan. 1, 1925, a building covering substantially the whole of the demised premise, at least three stories and basement in height, and suitable for theater, hotel, manufacturing, or for mercantile purposes. Buildings to lessor at end of term without compensation.

Fullerton-av., 230 s of Catalpa-ct., e f, 33 1-3 x135, incumb. $5,500, Feb. 8 [Martin H. Berum to Fred John Sundt] 6,225

Hastings-st., 36 s of Chicago-av., s f, 23.10x124, Feb. 11 [A. Wilensky to Abe Lidsky] 5,000

Harvey-st., 25 w of Girard, s f, 24x125, Feb. 10 [J. Golata to Jos. Kurtz] 6,375

Milwaukee-av., 366 n w of Upton-st., n e f, 24x100, Feb. 8 [Jane Wallace to Emma Dernburg and Lena Glick] 1,800

22d-st., 100 w of Wood, n f, 24x100, Feb. 10 [C. Spare to Victor Polakow] 5

Claremont-av., 50 s of Lake, e f, 24x124, incums. $1,800, Jan. 29 [Henry Hose to Bertha Bletcher] 5,800

Cortez-st., 281 w of Washtenaw-av., s f, 22x124, Feb. 13 [Clemens G. Mayer to Ernst Roggatz] 5,000

Cornelia-st., 216 w of Noble, n f, 24x125, Feb. 7 [P. Staab to John Grimminger] 3,000

Francisco-av., 125 s of Cortez-st., s f, 37½x125, incumb. $1,400, Feb. 14 [E. Wesche to Fannie Dean] 2,700

Haddon-av., 295 s of Ashland, n f, 25x124, Jan. 25 [Tony Levy to Victor R. Levy] 1

Will-st., 141 s of Augusta, e f, 25x100, Feb. 1 [Anton Paus jr. to John Rak] 5,250

Beach-av., 123 s of Spaulding, n f, 33 1-3x124, Feb. 15 [Ferdinand Dost to Bernard Boddiker] 3,500

Campbell-av., 300 s of Potomac, w f, 26x126, incumb. $3,000, Feb. 7 [C. Moskowitz to Chaim Bierman] 5,700

Campbell-av., 24 s of La Moyne-st., e f, 24½x126, incumb. $5,000, Feb. 5 [Max Raskin et al. to Katie Brantberg] 1,000

Chicago-av., 91 w of St. Louis, s f, 25x125, Oct. 26, 1909 [George W. Douglas of Tuxedo Park, N. Y., et al. to Margaretha Beckl] 2,979

Fairfield-av., 261 s of Iowa-st., w f, 25x126, Feb. 5 [Kattie Strasberg to Bessie Rankin and Mollie Handler] 3,000

Augusta-st., s e cor Pine-av., e f, 200x125, incumb. $1,800, Jan. 29 [Sarah Kellem, Kenosha, Wis., to Milton B. Rutherford] 3,100

40th-ct., N. 218 s of North-av., w f, 20x125, Jan. 10 [Vida G. Palmer et al. to John Robbers] 1

Huron-st., 248 s of N. 50th-av., s f, 31x120, incumb. $4,650, Feb. 14 [Omand B. Jacobson to Wm. A. Eller of Whittemore, Ia.] 6,000

Huron-st., 181 s of N. 50th-av., s f, 31x120, incumb. $4,200, Feb. 14 [Omand B. Jacobson to Wm. A. Eller of Whittemore, Ia.] 6,000

Lawndale-av., 175 s of Iowa-st., e f, 25x126, incumb. $2,000, Feb. 9 [R. J. Reynertson to John Schwartz] 5,000

Le Moyne-st., 341 w of St. Louis-av., s f, 22x125, and c. u., incumb. $1,600, Feb. 14 [R. J. Korpolewski to Joseph Dalsky] 1,000

Rice-st., 226 e of Pine-av., s f, 23 1-3x125, incumb. $3,000, Feb. 11 [George W. Trisler to Joseph M. Levee] 4,500

Willow-av., 150 n of Iowa-st., w f, 50x136, incumb. $3,000, Feb. 14 [J. H. Stephens to Willis E. Briggs] 6,800

Washington-blvd., 143 e of Central Park-av., s f, 25x125, and c. u., Feb. 14 [J. W. Meek to R. L. Avery] 1

Same prop., Feb. 15 [P. L. Avery to Sarah Meek] 1

Avers-av., N., 150 s of Kinzie-st., e f, 25x125, Feb. 4 [M. E. Sutherland to William A. Martin] 4,500

35d-av., N., 167 n of Ontario-st., s f, 25x132, Feb. 11 [H. M. Hertzog to Joseph Kane] 3,600

Fulton-st., 184 e of Central Park-av., s f, 25x125, Feb. 12 [George T. Tristram to Joseph M. Levee] 1,800

Fulton-st., 164 e of Kedzie-av., s f, 25x124, incumb. $1,800, Jan. 26 [B. M. Shultz to H. L. Erb] 1

Same prpy., Feb. 11 [H. L. Erb to Anton Hubka] 1

Lake-st., 180 e of S. 48th-av., 22x120, Feb. 1 [Stephen G. Cuyler to Hugh Muir] 1,500

Laurel-av., s e cor Chicago-av., w f, 100x183.9, Feb. 11 [M. E. Packer to Emanuel Hogenson] 1,800

Madison-st., 150 w of S. 42d-av., s f, 50x170, Feb. 16 [Michael V. Corboy to Elizabeth Gilhooly] 1,400

Halsted-st., 129 n of Kinzie-st., e f, 40x116, Feb. 7 [M. Swissler et al. to Wm. A. Humphrey] 4,000

Harrison-st., 126 n of Kedzie-av., s f, 25x124, Feb. 16 [Harry Weeks to Olga Zimmerman] 1,500

Jackson-blvd., 50 w of Albany-av., s f, 24x125, Feb. 12 [Margaret Jane Kendrick to Edward ...] 10

Lake-st., 100 w of Western-av., s f, 22x66, Feb. 9 [Barbie Weis to Henry Hasterlik] 2,750

Superior-st., 72 e of Ashland-av., n f, 25x125, Feb. 9 [D. Thon to Adam Konopek] 8,000

Washington-blvd., 139 e of Sacramento-av., s f, 25x200, Feb. 3 [Wm. E. Mortimer to Bessie A. Tuken] 12,500

Monroe-st., 51 w of Spaulding-av., w f, 25x124, m or l, Feb. 11 [Wm. Schwegerman to Theodore J. Hoch] 30,000

Adams-st., 200 w of S. 43d-av., s f, 25x131, incumb. $2,500, Feb. 14 [Louis Bushnell to John L. Dillman] 4,900

42th-ct., S., 187 s of Lexington-st., w f, 50x116.6, Feb. 14 [Wm. H. Johnson to Caroline O. Jones, Newport, R. I.] 10

Flournoy-st., 248 e of Homan-av., s f, 25x-, Feb. 7 [Mrs. Lucy E. Sherk to Abraham and Samuel Sherk] 5,200

Flournoy-st., 322 e of S. 44th-av., n f, 25x121, Feb. 14 [T. B. Crosby to Alice F. Collins] 3,000

51st-av., S., 107 n of W. Jackson-st., w f, 132x531, m or l, Nov. 4, 1909 [Joseph Connor to Catholic bishop of Chicago] 7,400

51st-av., S., s e cor Quincy-st., w f, 132x481, Jan. 25 [Jos. Connor to Catholic bishop of Chicago] 6,270

Spaulding-av., s e cor 40th-av., w f, 25x100, incumb. $2,500, Feb. 15 [Geo. S. Farrar to Jos. Levermann] 4,750

Waller-av., 129 n of Adams-st., e f, 25x170, Jan. 25 [J. H. Pearson to Honor O'Mara] 1,200

40th-av., S., n s cor 18th-st., w f, 24x120, Feb. 12 [A. Goldschmidt to Edward T. Gubbins] 1,800

19th-st., 73 w of Spalding-av., s f, 25x50, incumb. $4,500, Aug. 4, 1909 [Elmer A. Hawkins to E. Mickelberry] 13,500

14th-pl., s e cor Throop-st., n f, 22x124, incumb. $2,500, Feb. 9 [Jacob Malinovich to Michael Ganna] 5,250

Turner-av., 247 s of 12th-av., e f, 61½x80, and bldg. incumb. $7,000, Feb. 14 [Abraham Kosofsky et al. to Wolf Rominosky] 13,000

Kedzie-av., 223 n of 19th-st., S. 31 1-3x129, incumb. $3,800, Jan. 26 [D. W. Jadlan to Frank Sent] 7,000

Kedzie-av., 200 n of 19th-st., e f, 20x124, Kedzie-av., 200 n of 19th-st., e f, 20x124, Feb. 10 [Samuel Polakow to Abraham Sigel] 13,500

Sawyer-av., 50 s of 16th-st., w f, 25x125, incumb. $4,000, Feb. 12 [J. Greenberg to Adolph Greenberg] 5,000

Blue Island-av., 216 w of Paulina-st., s f, 24x100, Feb. 7 [J. Jelinek to Robert L. Fritz] 10

18th-pl., 160 s of Ashland-av., n f, 25x124, Sept. 27, 1909 [James Vacha to Sophie Schmittendorf] 3,350

Washtenaw-av., 178 n of 12th-pl., w f, 75x124, Feb. 11 [D. J. O'Connor to Catholic Bishop of Chicago] 4,500

Whipple-st., 50 s of 24th, w f, 22x125, Oct. 4, 1909 [J. Shama to John Chojnacki] 3,500

Sawyer-av., 125 n of 38th-st., w f, 25x125, Feb. 3 [P. Soukup to John Jurikovic] 2,000

Springfield-av., 204 s of 27th-st., e f, 24x125, Feb. 11 [James A. Gaynor to Mary Gaynor] 1

Building Permits.

310 E. 61st-st., 1 story brick store, E. S. Pike$ 1,100

2725 Armitage-av., 1 story brick store, J. W. Stansfield 1,500

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3740-42 N. Irving-av., two 2 story frame residences, Calkins & Cornelius 4,400

2613 S. Harding-av., 1½ story brick cottage, Anton Kucerik 1,400

4600 Center-av., 2 story brick stable, Roberts & Oaks 4,100

3745 S. 40th-av., 1 story frame dwelling, John Rybar 1,500

3222 N. Sawyer-av., 2 story frame flat, John Hagstrom 1,800

4156 N. Keddie-av., 1 story brick store and flat, Josephine Chrisiman 3,000

1102 S. Kedzie-av., 1 story brick tailor shop, Mary A. Hassett 1,500

3748 to 3758 Columbia-av., 2 story brick factory, P. T. O'Brien 6,000

736-38 S. Paulina-st., 1 story brick store, Louis Solomon 3,500

6121 Evans-av., 2 story brick flat, J. C. Hall 4,200

3030 Millard-av., 1½ story frame dwelling, John Rybar 1,500

6201 S. Wood-st., 2 story brick store and apartments, J. Kuss 3,500

1825 Nebraska-av., 3 story brick flats, Adolph Mickelson 7,000

2417 Station-st., 3 sty. brick flat, John Spangler 2,000

2200-24 S. 43d-av., 4 story brick school, board of education 210,000

140-142 Monroe-st., 19 story brick bank and office, Harris Safe Deposit company 1,000,000

3170 and 3124 Irving Park-blvd., three 1 story brick stores, William Schacht 6,000

7236 S. Peoria-st., 3 story brick flat, W. Stern 6,000

6224 S. Honore-st., 2 story brick flat, A. Selen 3,800

6459-63 Grove-av., 2 story brick exhauster house, Peoples' Gas Light and Coke company 20,000

3601 to 3611 Iron-st., 3 story brick factory, Spoor & Leonard 80,000

607 to 615 W. 59d-st., 3 story brick warehouse, Mrs. W. Carter 16,000

New Railroad for Iowa.

Charles City, Ia., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—Articles of incorporation were filed today for the Charles City Western railroad. The capital is to be $300,000, of which $100,000 already has been subscribed by the promoters. The street car service for Charles City is to be in connection with the interurban.

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Reductions in the running time of passenger trains between Chicago and the Pacific coast were announced yesterday to take effect next Sunday. The Santa Fé and the Rock Island, the latter operating in connection with the Southern Pacific, will cut three and a half hours from the schedules of their fastest trains to Los Angeles, making the run in sixty-eight and one-half hours, and a small reduction will be made by the Burlington and Union Pacific to Portland.

The California limited train on the Santa Fé, which leaves the Dearborn station at 8 p. m., arrives now in Los Angeles at 6 p. m. the third day. The new schedule will place the train at its destination at 2:30 o'clock.

The Golden State limited, on the Rock Island, now leaves the La Salle street station at 9 p. m. and arrives in Los Angeles at 6:55 p. m. Under the new arrangement this train will arrive at 2:30 o'clock.

Change to Hasten the Mails.

These changes, which will bring the Pacific coast nearer to Chicago, are to be made at the instance of the postoffice authorities, who desired to have the mail trains reach their destination in time to make an afternoon delivery of postal matter. This decrease in time is only restoring the schedules of several years ago, before the western speed agreement.

It was reported yesterday from Seattle that within a few weeks the Harriman lines would begin operating through passenger train service between that city and Chicago over the Northwestern and Union Pacific railroads. The Chicago offices of the roads stated that the arrangements for through train service have not been completed.

Canadian Northern Railway Plans.

The Canadian Northern railway will expend about $8,000,000 in railway construction in western Canada this year, principally in work across the prairie district. A good start probably will be made on the line through the Rocky mountains to the Pacific coast.

C. L. Hilleary, general passenger agent of the Lake Erie and Western, has been transferred to St. Louis with the title of general agent of the traffic and transportation departments of the New York Central lines. L. W. Landman succeeds him.

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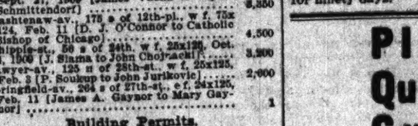

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A.L. MOGULS AGREE ON A 20 YEAR LIFE

Ban Johnson to Head Organization for Two Decades at Big Salary.

VOTE 154 GAME SCHEDULE

Magnates Leave for Their Home Towns; George Davis Is Released.

BY R. W. LARDNER.

The American league yesterday adopted its 154 game schedule for the season of 1910, renewed its agreement for a term of twenty years, and reelected Ban Johnson president, secretary, and treasurer for a term as long as the new agreement will run.

Deals concerning players were about as scarce as on the first day of the session, but one of interest to Chicagoans was pulled off by President Comiskey and Manager Hugh Duffy of the Sox—the unconditional release of George Davis, shortstop, second baseman, and first baseman on the south side club at various times during the last seven years, and major general and brainy coacher at all times.

Comiskey has tried all through the winter to find a good managerial berth for the veteran, but his efforts were unavailing. Doubtless George would have had a chance at the White Sox leadership before now but for the trouble of 1902, when he failed to report to Commy and was indirectly responsible for a civil suit which concerned the owner of the local club. Appreciation of the services given him by Davis when the latter was a satisfied member of the Sox led Commy to adjust matters so that George could be let out without a string attached to him. The announcement regarding Davis was made early in the day.

Smooth Sailing at Meeting.

The league could have completed its business at the Congress hotel by noon if it had been so minded. As it was, there was no hitch when the schedule was presented and when the new agreement was read. Some time was consumed, however, in impromptu speeches of congratulation for Ban Johnson. Rumors concerning a big increase in salary for the American league chief were spread. Some of them were to the effect that his salary had been boosted from $15,000 a year to $25,000. Others fixed his new competence at $20,000 per annum. It was impossible to learn the true figure at which Ban was reengaged, for neither he nor the magnates were talking, but it is safe to say it means a substantial boost over the $15,000 mark.

Little was given out regarding the terms of the new agreement. It was practically the same as the old, one important paragraph, with reference to "syndicate baseball" being added, as follows:

"Syndicate baseball is prohibited, except as an emergency measure, and only with the consent of the league, president, and directors shall a stockholder in one club own or control stock in another club in the American league under penalty of being voted and dealt with as an undesirable associate and barred from all connection with the league."

The "exception" clause means that "syndicate baseball" will be permissible in the case of a club's being unable to continue in existence, as was the case with the Washington team a few years ago, without help from the other clubs of the league.

League Favors Reach Ball.

The American's ten year agreement, made in 1900, will not run out until next November, but the club owners, not keen for the necessity of calling a special session at that time, decided to adopt it for one year, which becomes effective in 1911. A new ball was chosen and strongly in favor of the Reach ball, manufactured by the company in which President Shibe of the Athletics has an interest, and decided on by the organization's official ball for the popular number of years, twenty. While congratulating Mr. Shibe on the adoption of the sphere President Comiskey of the Sox made a verbal agreement with the Philadelphia magnate whereby each of them guarantees to live to be 112 years old and to continue in the baseball business until death us do part.

The league also passed a rule making it compulsory for all clubs to use admission tickets with rain checks attached during the season of 1910.

After the adoption of the schedule a motion to adjourn was passed and most of the magnates made preparations to leave on early trains. The eastern contingent departed before supper time. President Hedges of the Browns, Messrs. Kilfoyl and Stewart of the Cleveland club, and a host of visiting scribes were entertained at a prairie chicken dinner by President Johnson. President Navin of the Detroit Tigers had a theater party of his own and left for the Michigan metropolis at midnight. Before his departure he announced that the White Sox would be given a flag raising day at Detroit and that the festivities would come off June 28. Commy, anxious to do his share toward handing out desirable dates, thereupon promised Secretary Hedges of the St. Louis club the new park at Wentworth avenue and Thirty-fifth street would be opened July 1, when the Browns will be here. This also is Mr. Hedges' birthday and he is sure to be the happy recipient of a large financial gift.

Browns-Naps Deal Postponed.

None of the proposed Cleveland-St. Louis trades came off. Manager O'Connor of the Browns was still after a good catcher, but the Cleveland club would not let out Nig Clarke for anyone the Browns were willing to offer. Hedges and Somers tried to get together on some sort of deal, but none was satisfactory. The Brown chiefs also were talking things over with President Farrell of the New York Highlanders, but were unable to agree on anything.

President Johnson received a telegram from Garry Herrmann, chairman of the national commission, in which the latter wanted to know if the Kling reinstatement story was a joke. Garry asserted that he had said nothing about Kling except that the catcher's case would be taken up soon.

It came to light for the first time that an agreement was reached between the American and National leaguers at the recent session at Pittsburg whereby the schedule makers of the older organization were to decide on a slate of 154 games to conform with the one adopted by the American. In a telegram to Herrmann, Johnson asked why that agreement was not being lived up to and stated the American league would consider it a breach of good fellowship for the National to go ahead and vote for a slate of 168 games after agreeing at Pittsburg to play only 154.

The release of Davis did not come as a surprise to anyone, yet it was the principal topic of conversation in the corridors of the Congress hotel. There were three of the Sox privates present—Billy Sullivan, Frank Owens, and Harry Suter—and all of them expressed regret that George would no longer be with the team. Davis was one of the most popular men who ever wore the white hose. Especially was he "in right" with his teammates, for he had a nice way of his own about giving advice, which invariably was good advice, without offending the youngsters, and, sometimes, the oldsters, who were listening to it.

President Johnson Is Modest.

President Johnson was not gloating over his new honors. He refused to say how old he would be when his term of office expired but admitted he would be in his dotage by that time.

Manager Chance of the Cubs was around the meeting place all day, but passed up his time in social visits. He said he would go to South Bend, Ind., for a day's visit early next week. Hughey never has seen that wonderful city, but has been invited there by Harry Arndt, infielder and great pal of the new Sox boss.

Speaking of Indiana, Jack Hendricks, late of Fort Wayne and now manager of the Denver Western league club, announced that he had an option, until next Sunday, on R. B. Kelly of Goshen, at present an asset of the Washington club. Kelly appeared here on the south side grounds last year as third sacker on Joe Cantillon's team. Hendricks probably will close the deal. He intends to use the youngster as a shortstop, his natural position, and expects him to fit up among the best of them.

The busy Mr. Burkart of the Saginaw Southern Michigan league club added to his list Second Baseman Weaver of the Naps, Pitcher Stanage from Springfield, Mo., and Pitcher Arnold from the Athletics. He also purchased a couple of Indianapolis possessions whose names he would not divulge, as the athletes now number sixty-two. Evidently he is attempting to double the population of Saginaw.

The Green Bay (Wis.) team bought five players from President Higgins of Des Moines. Outfielders Gustnard and O'Hara, Pitchers McDonald and Kerwan, and Catcher Rashi. Manager Hendricks announced that his Denver bunch would train at Excelsior Springs, Mo.

Halas Must Answer Charges.

Charges of professionalism were filed yesterday with officials of the International Gymnastic union by Dwight Turners against Frank Halas, pitcher of the Pilsen School of Horse baseball team. Although the nature of the charges would not be divulged, members of the team making the charges asserted Halas had taken money for services in indoor baseball games last winter.

A HOT ONE.

SOX START SEASON AT HOME

April 14 Is Opening Date and Browns Will Be Entertained.

MANY GOOD DATES DRAWN.

South Siders Get 17 Sundays, 14 Saturdays, and Two Holidays.

The south side ball park will be the scene of the opening of major league baseball in Chicago this spring. Last year it was the Cubs' turn to open at home, while the Sox had to fill engagements at Detroit and St. Louis before appearing here.

The schedule adopted by the American league yesterday provides that the Sox entertain the St. Louis Browns in Chicago on April 14, the O'Connor forces staying here four days, including the first Sunday of the 1910 season. Following the Browns will be the Cleveland Naps, who are down for games April 18, 19, and 20. After finishing with the Clevelanders, the Sox will set out for St. Louis and Cleveland before returning to Chicago to start operations against their old enemies, the Detroit Tigers.

While the Sox and Browns are celebrating opening day in this city Cleveland will be playing for the delectation of Detroit bugs. The Browns will follow the Naps into Tigertown. In the east the openings will be in New York, where the Red Sox will appear, and at Washington, where the Athletics are booked.

Leave for East on May 8.

Engagements with their rivals right in this section will keep the western clubs busy until the 8th of May. Then the first trip east will be made. The American's western clubs will be playing in the orient while the easterners of the National league are invading this part of the country.

Chicago will have its usual share of Sunday and holiday dates. The Browns will be here for the morning and afternoon engagements of the Fourth of July, and the Cleveland club will play here twice on Labor day. Memorial day will be passed by the Sox at Cleveland. Chicago will have seven Sundays and seven Saturdays at home. It will have home conflicts with the Cubs on April 30, May 1, 8, and 29, June 26, Sept. 11, and Oct. 2 and 9.

Of the other Sunday towns, Detroit will get twelve dates and St. Louis sixteen. The rest of the holidays are as follows:

Memorial day—Detroit at St. Louis, Washington at New York, Philadelphia at Boston.

Fourth of July—Detroit at Cleveland, New York at Philadelphia, Boston at Washington.

Labor day—St. Louis at Detroit, Philadelphia at New York, Washington at Boston.

Bunker Hill day, April 18—Washington at Boston.

The eastern clubs will come west the first of June. The New York Highlanders will be the first of them to appear on the south side, opening a four game series June 2.

Sox Have Long Stay at Home.

The White Sox will have a long stay around home and in the neighborhood at the close of the season. The campaign will close here on Oct. 9, Detroit, as usual, being the last opponent.

The city is given more than its ordinary allotment of special events. Besides the opening and closing dates and the Fourth of July and Labor day engagements, it will have the opening of Comiskey's new park on July 1, the St. Louis Browns being booked to play here on that day. The Sox will take part also in another big event, the flag raising stunt at Detroit on June 28.

WHITE SOX TO BE 'DARK HORSE.'

Jennings Says Comiskey's Team May Be Contender for the 1911 Pennant.

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—Boston is a contender with the Tigers for the 1911 pennant, Chicago is a dark horse and a possible contender, and any team to beat the Tigers out must be 20 per cent stronger than last season, is Manager Jennings' dope on the coming American league race. Hughie arrived in town today to take up his season's work.

"Duffy should make a good manager," said Jennings, "but the outfield of the White Sox is weak, the infield is doubtful, while the battery is good.

"I understand they will have an entirely new infield with the possible exception of Purtell. Their pitchers should show up strong, but if they have the same outfield they had last year, there is a chance that it will be weaker.

"The Tigers will be stronger, because the infield will have an opportunity to get to working together. It did not have such a chance last fall."

Central Y. M. C. A. Wins at Pool.

In the inter Y. M. C. A. pool tournament Central defeated Hyde Park yesterday at the former's rooms, 4 to 1. Scores: Larson, Central, beat Whitelock, Hyde Park, 50 to 8; Grant, Central, beat Elson, Hyde Park, 50 to 24; Beck, Central, beat McDonald, Hyde Park, 50 to 40; Wulff, Central, beat Trump, Hyde Park, 50 to 22; Roloff, Hyde Park, beat Rowe, Central, 50 to 27.

SPORTING CALENDAR.

THURSDAY, Feb. 17—Wrestling, Hamilton Parks at University of Chicago. Central Y. M. C. A. championships. Track meet, Central Y. M. C. A. at Northwestern.

FRIDAY, Feb. 18—Track meets, Central A. A. U. handicaps at Riverview. Basketball, Chicago at Purdue. Indoor ball, McKinley at Crane, North Division at Lake View, Medill at Lane, Lake at Englewood.

SATURDAY, Feb. 19—Fights, Johnny Coulon vs. Jem Kendrick, New Orleans; Harry Lewis vs. Willie Lewis, Paris. Track meets, Chicago at Illinois, Indiana at Purdue, Basketball, Chicago at Indiana; Northwestern at Iowa, Oak Park at Hyde Park, West Side at Central, Wilson Avenue at Evanston. National ski tourney at Cloquet, Minn. Chicago day at St. Paul bowling tourney. Chicago Whist association annual tourney, Auditorium. Swimming, Illinois at Bartlett gymnasium.

SUNDAY, Feb. 20—National ski tourney at Cloquet, Minn.

MONDAY, Feb. 21.—Track meet, Chicago Freshmen vs. Evanston Freshmen, at Evanston. Fight, Jack White vs. Biz Mackey, Akron, O. Great Western trotting meeting, La Salle hotel. Meeting of secretaries of Illinois-Iowa racing circuit at La Salle hotel. Chicago Whist association annual tourney, Auditorium.

TUESDAY, Feb. 22—Track, Princeton meet at First regiment armory [night]. Fights, Nelson vs. Wolgast, Ray Frazier, Conley vs. Monte Attel, Los Angeles; Langford vs. Dewey, Cheyenne, Wyo. Wrestling, Dr. Roller vs. Zbyszko, Denver. Chicago Whist association annual tourney, Auditorium.

WEDNESDAY, Feb. 23—Basketball, Lake View at Crane, McKinley at Marshall, Englewood at Lane, Medill at Wendell-Phillips.

LIMIT FOR WESTERN LEAGUE.

Schedule Committee Reports Draft for 168 Games, Which Probably Will Be Adopted Today.

The schedule committee of the Western league met yesterday at the Grand Pacific hotel and arranged a 168 game slate, which probably will be adopted at a meeting of the club owners this morning.

According to the draft made by the committee, consisting of Jack Holland of St. Joseph, Dick Cooley of Topeka, Thomas Fairweather of Sioux City, and D. C. Desmain of Lincoln, the season will open about April 21 and close Oct. 2. President O'Neill said he thought the slate would be adopted today without question and that adjournment would be taken before evening.

Presidents McGill of Denver, Isbell of Wichita, Rourke of Omaha, and Higgins of Des Moines are the other magnates in attendance at the session.

THREE WESTERN GOLFERS WIN.

Fairbanks, McElwee, and Schmidlapp Survive First Match Round of the South Florida Championship.

Palm Beach, Fla., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—Three western players won their matches in the first round of the South Florida championship and two went down to defeat. Walter Fairbanks, R. H. McElwee, and C. J. Schmidlapp are the survivors. The other two will play in the beaten eight division.

In the third flight L. E. Stumer of Ravisloe and F. C. Vandusen of Minikahada won their matches. J. L. Stack of Midlothian won his match in the fourth flight by a good margin. Summary of championship division:

L. P. Myers, New York, defeated J. J. Radel, Forest Hills, 1 up, 19 holes; C. J. Schmidlapp, Cincinnati, defeated W. R. Bassett, New York, 1 up; H. M. Forrest, Lakewood, defeated J. E. Rumbaugh, Asheville, 4 and 3; R. H. McElwee, Owentsia, defeated C. G. Dixon, Spring Haven, 4 and 3; H. B. Rust, Wannamoisett, defeated J. F. Magee, Omaha, 2 and 1; H. P. Farrington, Commonwealth, defeated Henry Allsopp, Forest Hills, 2 and 1; J. P. Knapp, Garden City, defeated J. W. Neiman, Milwaukee, 7 and 5; Walter Fairbanks, Denver, defeated A. J. McClure, Albany, 3 and 1.

HERBERT GIVES BIG HANDICAPS.

Central A. A. U. Official Liberal to Athletes in Track and Field Events at Riverview Tomorrow.

The official list of entries and handicaps for the first annual handicap track and field meet of the Central A. A. U., to be held at the Riverview rink tomorrow night, were announced yesterday by Martin B. Herbert, official handicapper of the Central association.

Over 130 athletes, representing the clubs and athletic organizations in this section, are entered, and officials of the A. A. U. expect the first venture to be a success. The C. A. A. has the largest and strongest team in the meeting, but many of the Cherry Circle stars are handicapped heavily.

President Herman yesterday received word from gymnasts in Milwaukee and Cincinnati assuring him of their presence in the gymnastic contests. Six men will come from each city. Hyde Park, Lane, and Crane are entered in the high school relay race.

At the Billiard Halls.

At Bensinger's—Sigel [150] defeated Barker [300], 150 to 106, at 14-2.

At Hemmer's—Safford [150] defeated Spilttgerber [125], 150 to 68, at pool.

At Mussey's—Ross [46] won from Rogers [45], 45 to 44, at three cushions.

At Mollard's—H. Beck [150] defeated H. Higgins [148], 150 to 146, at pool.

At Weeghman's—Wallace [200] defeated Cohn [160], 200 to 97, in the opening game of the 14-3 tournament. In the board of trade pool tournament Booth [60] defeated Morton [70], 60 to 52.

GEERS SUFFERS BROKEN LIMB.

Veteran Horseman for Seventh Time Fractures a Leg—Thrown from Back of Family Horse.

Memphis, Tenn., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—Veteran Ed Geers, dean of harness drivers, suffered what is said to be his seventh break of a limb as he was returning from the daily duty training his horses at the two minute track. The veteran was riding a saddle horse, a "family pet," when he shied at a goat. Geers will be confined for at least two months. His leg is broken above the knee.

JACKSONVILLE RACE RESULTS.

First race, 7-16 mile, purse—Jack Denman, 118 [Nicol], 5 to 1, won; Sir Kearney, 118 [Ganz], 10 to 1, second; Clay, 118 [Troxler], 6 to 5, third. Time, :43. Hawkilke, John Pendergast, Louis Katz, Lucille, The Rascal, Roseburg II., Nar Star, Yuletide, Great Caesar, Common Sense, Deceivable, and Dolon ran.

Second race, 11-16 mile—Schleswig, 99 [Pease], 9 to 1, won; Gold Dust, 106 [Butwell], 12 to 10, second; Harold Hall, 108 [Powere], 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:07 2-5. M. J. Whalen, Square Deal, Marie Rue, Herdsman, Colonel Joe, Dick Stanley, and Deerock ran.

Third race, 11-16 mile—Manheimer, 108 [McCarthy], 6 to 5, won; Mosart, 108 [Moss], 15 to 1, second; Inferno Queen, 96 [Dreyer], 30 to 1, third. Time, 1:08. Amyl, Wild Fire, Away, Enlist, Pimpante, Pin Oak, and Birdsinger ran.

Fourth race, Key West selling stakes, ¾ mile—Charlie Eastman, 116 [Burns], 6 to 5, won; Top Note, 99 [Obert], 8 to 1, second; Dr. Barkley, 101 [Davis], 12 to 5, third. Time, 1:22 3-5. Rialto, Ben Double, Woodlane, and Dixie Knight ran.

Fifth race, mile—Ragman, 102 [Reid], 12 to 1, won; Hooray, 106 [Powers], 8 to 1, second; Otho, 108 [Musgrave], 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:46 4-5. Edwin L. Cramer, Grande Dame, Ballot Box, Sallie Preston, Summer Night, and Castlewood ran.

Sixth race, 1 1-16 miles—Tempter, 94 [Henry], 13 to 2, won; Cindy, 98 [King], 10 to 1, second; Woolstone, 106 [Musgrave], 7 to 1, third. Time, 1:48 3-5. Billy Pullman, Golden Flora, Ardri, and Simonette ran.

IN THE WAKE OF THE NEWS.

BY HEK.

OOR JAMIE.

James Esson, the Scottish wrestler, grappler, or mat artist, maintains that he rightfully is entitled to an issue with Gotch for the championship and declares he will leave us flat and return to England if a disposition to recognize his claim is not evinced pretty soon. Hence:

Jamie Esson sez he'll no'
Stick about if there's no show
For him to get a chance to throw
Frank Gotch or fika body.
Jamie has it an them a'
The Turk an' Polack, great an' sma';
Wi' Gotch he shad noo has the ca'
(Let's has anither toddy.)

Jamie is a bonnie chiel;
He's a fu' o' brains wi' grip o' steel;
Ye ken as Aw das, verra weel.
No time he shad be wastin'
Wras'lin' dubs in bum prelims,
Dasin' steonts about the gyms,
Waitin' an yer champyin's whims
(Let's has anither tastin'.)

He'll awa' tae Lunnon toon
An' fling his bonnet an the groon'
An' dar' them a' tate pit him doon—
Success tae ye, ma laddie.
Blessin's an yer bonnie heid;
O' their vain boastin' tak' na heed—
Ye'll be champyin when they're deid!
(Let's droon the finnan haddie.)

Maybe the dire straits in which horseracing now finds itself may find an illustration in the fact that a certain interest and influence called a short time ago a withering blight is now regarded as a blessing.

The Arundel motto revised: "What the——! We've got the money, ain't we?"

The next wrestling show may relieve its congestion automatically without a police operation. It may be a frost.

As clearly as we can make it out, the paramount objection to adhering to the 154 game schedule in the National league is the fear that it might be taken as another evidence of Ban Johnson's dominant personality.

After all, the unseemly baseball wrangle which consumed the best part of the winter was not an unmixed curse. When the playing season opens the fans can settle down to enjoy the game with a comfortable understanding as to who's who and why—also what. That is not taking it for granted that they will be any the better for the knowledge.

GOING ALONG WITH IT.

When Adam was the only voter
The snake, perhaps, was the promoter.

He had his office up a tree
And filled his trade industriously.
Said he, "I'll lay for old man Adam—
If I can't land him I'll get the madam."
Next! C. G.

The trouble with all the new fangled spikeproof gear is that, like accident insurance, the players will get tired of carrying it before its usefulness becomes convincing.

A. M. D.—There is nothing new in the fight situation. That doesn't make you angry, does it?

Mr. Ebbets would that his friends and admirers cease chawing him about that "infancy" faux pas. It annoys* him sorely. Of course, as in all such cases, the friends and admirers would not have done so had they known he did not like it.

*Slang for "perves."

If any of the uncharted things that can happen in the woods when one is hunting for something else should befall Jeffries, poisonous minded persons at least will trace some "contributary carelessness" to the fighter himself if they don't accuse him flatly of trying to shoot himself out of his meeting with Johnson. There are so many people who think evil in this world.

W. P. S., Dubuque.—Yes, with bells on.

The National league needs a 168 game schedule even to finish a meeting.

President Johnson now believes with a lot of others that our esteemed contemporary, Mr. Westlake, is always there with the happy thought.

Denver, Feb. 14.—Dear Teacher: You need not be worried at all about Malachy Horan "coming back." You ought to see him throwing fresh guys out of the Mozart here. He is floor manager. You know what the floor manager in a place where punks gather has to do, don't you. MIKE.

PINMEN TILT LOCAL MARKS

Hovorkas Average 1,072 2-3 and O'Learys Get Game of 1,130.

BOTH ARE SEASON'S RECORDS

Bohemian Stars Count 1,121 in Opening Essay Against the Rossows.

Two of the season's local bowling records were boosted last night when the Hovorkas of the Windy City league averaged 1,072 2-3, against the Rossows, and the O'Learys team counted 1,130 in its first game against the Harper Ryes in the City league. The previous marks were 1,067 2-3 for high average and 1,103 for high game, both held by the Harper Ryes.

The Hovorkas, who got an earlier start than O'Learys men held the high game record for a brief time. The side took three games from the Rossows, while the O'Learys, who averaged 1,017, twice defeated the Ryes, who notched 1,018, the biggest losing average of the season.

Busch of the Rossow team averaged 230, a new mark for the Windy City league. H. Leffingwell rolled a 300 score in practice at Mussey's yesterday afternoon, getting other totals of 201 and 247 and averaging 249 1-3.

WINDY CITY.

Hovorkas	1	2	3.	Rossows.	1	2	3.
Bayde	165	205	178	Wagner	233	230	161
Trachek	146	180	213	Busch	223	224	294
Michal	223	207	200	Dentz	151	161	213
Vlacha	224	214	223	Kryda	176	175	211
Danek	238	158	233	Rossow	180	187	212
Totals	1121	1045	1052	Totals	912	967	1080

Jiruskas	610	907	919	Krizeks	787	796	835

CITY.

Harper R.'s	1.	2.	3.	O'Learys.	1.	2.	3.
Steele	193	192	200	Commo	201	196	158
Brown	246	166	214	Wolf	223	193	182
Juston	206	193	226	McGuire	243	172	224
Flenner	215	211	205	Reilly	268	196	196
Collier	190	176	186	Bloch	195	225	206
Totals	1056	952	1048	Totals	1130	974	947

Centurys	922	956	968	Brunsw'k	1048	910	1007
Dust-to-Go	854	895	868	Chalmers-D	889	846	935
Felonette	965	890	992	Lipmans	923	908	937

RACE RESULTS AT JUAREZ.

First race, ¾ mile—Nila, 102 [Garner], 7 to 1, won; Corence, 104 [Rice], 6 to 1, second; Bucus, 112 [Goose], 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:14 3-5. Catheryn Scott, C. W. Kennon, Lady Parry, Camera, Odd Smile, James Blackstock, C. A. Lolman, and Orba ran.

Second race, 1 mile—Hancock, 107 [Mondan], 5 to 1, won; Maurstania, 95 [Garner], 9 to 2, second; Almena, 96 [J. Wilson], 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:41 4-5. Duchess of Montebello, The Thorn, Coatcutter, Ollie Burnett, George Guyton, Nellie Kohn, and Gunston ran.

Third race ¾ mile—Airy, 106 [Garner], 6 to 5, won; Gladys Louise, 100 [J. Wilson], 10 to 1, second; Vohoome, 108 [Molesworth], 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:13 3-5. Silver Stocking, Miss Danville, Lady Adelaide, and Straight Line ran.

Fourth race, ¾ mile—Lomond, 99 [Rehescoter] 7 to 1, won; Ocean Queen, 94 [Garner], 6 to 1, second; Meddling Hannah, 104 [Rice], 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:18 3-5. Glen Heleh, Marchmonet, Topland, and Fusilier ran.

Fifth race, ¾ mile—Rubiola, 109 [Mondan], 12 to 1, won; Barbond, 104 [Garner], 7 to 2, second; Kopek, 109 [Rice], 9 to 1, third. Time, 1:14. Lykers, Anne McGee, Joe Ehrich, Florence Myers, and Gee Whiz ran.

Sixth race, 1 mile—Wolferton, 106 [Rice], 7 to 2, won; Sensible, 102 [Renescoten], 5 to 2, second; Howard Pearson, 99 [J. Wilson], 16 to 5, third. Time, 1:42 3-5. Himalaya and Lotus Eater ran.

RESULTS AT OAKLAND.

First race, Futurity course—Arthur Hyman, 111 [Mentry], 8 to 1, won; Lillium, 96 [Thomas], 18 to 5, second; Louis Streuber, 107 [Shilling], 7 to 2, third. Time, 1:16. Bahroen, Lamita Beds, R. H. Flaherty, Lookout, Lovely Mary, Palo Chiqueto, Chitterlings, and Babe Neely ran.

Second race, Futurity course—Roy Junior, 107 [Taplin], 11 to 5, won; Burning Bush, 111 [Sullivan], 3 to 2, second; Banonica, 100 [Mentry], 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:10 4-5. Illusion, Hannibal Boy, Purcell Hall, Densen, Galena Gale, Ampedo, and Arnate ran.

Third race, ¾ mile—Goldann, 105 [Shilling], 7 to 10, won; Orello, 106 [Taplin], 5 to 2, second; Bishop Wood, 101 [Walsh], 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:14. Marbury, Sewell, Edwin T. Fryer, Cotytto, and Sir Prefrul ran.

Fourth race, 1 1-16 miles, Mercede handicap—For Love Johnson, 111 [Taplin], 9 to 10, won; Silver Knight, 108 [Vosper], 7 to 1, second; Fancy, 103 [Anderson], 7 to 1, third. Time, 1:47 2-5. Raleigh and Knight Deck ran.

Fifth race, 1 mile—Rosevale, 107 [Vosper], 13 to 5, won; Dr. Downie, 104 [Gargan], 8 to 1, second; Wicket, 92 [Thomas], 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:42. Jim Clifford, Sam Barbee, Miss Naomi, Mi Dircho, Redwood II., Silver Line, and Margaret Randolph ran.

Sixth race, Futurity course—Angleface, 107 [Vosper], 5 to 2, won; Kaiserhof, 111 [Smith], 15 to 1, second; Contra Costa, 96 [Thomas], 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:11 2-5. Belle Kinney, Dovalta, Mossback, El Molino, Combury, and Paul Clifford ran.

FRAZEE GIVES JEFF A BOOST

Theatrical Man Declares Big Fellow Is in Great Shape.

STARTS TRAINING MONDAY.

World's Tour Is Certain if Boilermaker Beats Johnson on July 4.

Harry Frazee, local theatrical man who had charge of the Jeffries-Gotch tour which closed at Hibbing, Minn., last Sunday and who will take a galaxy of pugilistic stars around the world if Jeff wins from Johnson on July 4, returned to the city yesterday and will issue a statement today of the receipts taken in by the show. Mr. Frazee asserted the figures would be a big surprise to the public. He also said that nothing ever attempted in the show business has equaled it.

According to Frazee, Jeffries will arrive in San Francisco tomorrow night and will start preliminary training for the battle by taking a hunting trip into the mountains for about ten days, starting Monday. He then will start training at Monterey, where he will establish his training quarters, for he says Jeff surely believes the fight will take place in San Francisco.

Jeffries Is in Great Shape.

"Jeffries is in superb condition," Frazee said in talking about the Californian. "He could go into the ring in twenty days and whip Johnson just as sure as he will defeat him on July 4. The tour Jeff has not dissipated a bit, which leads me to believe all the more that he is sincere in his purpose to whip Johnson. I could notice a gradual improvement in his condition every night, and I believe I am safe in saying that when he enters the ring on July 4 he will whip Johnson in big time.

"Our tour was a tremendous success. I don't believe anything ever attempted in the show business will equal the figures which I will publish. Everywhere we played the houses were packed and at each place Jeff left a most favorable impression. I have not chased any plans about the world tour, for I firmly believe Jeff will be the winner. My plans all depend on whether Nelson or Ketchel is whipped before the time of starting.

"I stopped off in Minneapolis for a couple of days with Frank Gotch, who was interested in watching the returns of the Mahmout-Zybisko match held here Monday night. Frank would not say anything about the result, for we were unable to learn much about the details. He will be in Chicago Monday to arrange some wrestling dates.

Will Have Big Training Camp.

"Jeffries firmly believes the fight will take place in San Francisco and will establish training quarters at Monterey. He will have Berger, who will act as manager of the camp; "Farmer" Burns, and some big men who can hit and stand some of Jeff's wallops in the camp. Gotch and Corbett will be there about six weeks before the fight. I intend to go out there before that time."

PICK WRESTLERS FOR FINALS.

Preliminary Bouts for Y. M. C. A. Championships Held in La Salle Gym—Complete Test Tonight.

Preliminary wrestling bouts of the Y. M. C. A. league championships were held last night in the La Salle street gymnasium. Wrestlers were picked in the various classes for the finals, which will take place tonight. Because of the small number of entries, preliminary bouts in the 135 pound, 158 pound, and heavyweight classes were omitted and will be decided tonight. Summaries:

115 pound class—Mather, Aurora, defeated Mennell, West Side, in 2:08, with a half nelson and body hold; Droesman, Central, defeated Breckinridge, West Side in 7:20, with a crotch and arm hold.

125 pound class—Mahler, Central, defeated Johnson, Central, in :56, with a half nelson and crotch hold; Downings, West Side, defeated A. Kennedy, Central, in :59, with a half nelson and body hold; Shadbolt, West Side, defeated Nuoffer, Central, in 5:06, with a chancery hold and half nelson; Healy, West Side, defeated Nelson, Oak Park, in 5:01, with a half nelson and crotch hold. Semi-finals—Mahler, Central, defeated Healy, West Side, in 1:05, with a chancery hold; Rawlings, West Side, defeated Shadbolt, West Side, in 2:15, flying tackle.

145 pound class—E. Schaller, West Side, defeated Lee, Central, in 9:34, with a chancery and body hold; F. Kennedy, Central, defeated J. Schaller, West Side, in 2:07, with a body hold.

In the 158 pound class Klein, Central; Larsen, West Side; Peterson, West Side, will wrestle in the finals. J. H. Ferguson, West Side Clapper, Central; and Culver, Central, will meet in the finals.

FITZPATRICK TO MANAGE MEET.

Michigan Athletic Director to Have Charge of High School Carnival Arranged by Princeton Alumni.

Keene Fitzpatrick, Michigan's noted athletic director, will have full charge of the Princeton interscholastic meet, to be held at the First Regiment armory the afternoon of Washington's birthday.

Word was received by the local Princeton alumni under whose auspices the meet is being given, that Fitzpatrick would be in Chicago for the carnival, which is expected to outclass anything of its kind ever held in the middle west. Fitzpatrick lately resigned his position at the Wolverine university, where he has been athletic director for years, to take up a similar position at Princeton.

Entries for the meet closed yesterday with R. E. Williams, and practically every high school in Cook county, as well as numerous out of town schools are numbered among the nominations.

Expect Contests to Be Close.

Close contests are expected in most of the events in the track meet to be held tonight at the new gymnasium in Evanston between the Northwestern university and Central Y. M. C. A. teams. On past performances the men matched to meet each other in several of the events are nearly equal.

The Libretto Gets Top Price.

Lexington, Ky., Feb. 16.—The highest price at today's horse sales was brought by The Libretto, b. h., by Oratory—Linnie Onward, by Onward, to J. B. McGowan, Mount Sterling, Ky., $6,000.

JOHN L. LANDS IN OLD LOUISIANA

Tells of Preparations for His Fight with Corbett, the Last of His Career.

BETS HIS ALL ON SCRAP.

Confident to the Last He Would Beat the Young California Wonder Easily.

BY JOHN L. SULLIVAN.

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When a champion is defeated there are always thousands of losers who will immediately start reports to the effect that he was not properly trained and that he did not take care of himself. I want to say here that I did train hard for my fight with Corbett, and the statement issued by Dr. Dudley Sargent after examining me will prove it. I had firmly made up my mind that the Corbett fight would be my last and I directed all my energies toward winning.

Phil Casey trained me for that fight, and he was selected by Charley Johnston, my principal backer. Johnston and Jim Wakely put up most of the money for me.

The fight with the young Californian was to take place on Sept. 6, and on the morning of Sept. 2 my party took the train for New Orleans. We had much difficulty all the way, and were delayed several hours. I had made arrangements for a baggage car in which I could work and keep in condition. This car was sidetracked at Buffalo, and we encountered much trouble and delay in getting another. This was finally arranged and we went on our way south.

The train was filled with sporting men from New York, and there was something doing every minute from the time we left New York until we arrived at the picturesque old Louisiana city. Among those who were with me all the time were Phil Casey, Dan Murphy, Jimmy Carroll, and Jack Ashton. They staid by my side throughout the trip.

Poker Games Day and Night.

Poker games ran all day and night on the train, and every now and then reports would spread over the train as to some big jackpot that had just been won.

I kept at work in the baggage car, and was in first class shape when the journey was finally over. I was in bed when we arrived at Richburg, Miss., the place where I whipped Kilrain and the place where I had so much trouble with the officers of the law.

As I peered out of the window I saw that hundreds of people had gathered at the station to wish me well, and I had to stick my head out and say, "How d'ye do."

There was a great crowd to meet me at the station, and they expressed the greatest surprise at my perfect condition. Mr. Nosi, president of the Olympic club, was one of the first to greet me.

"Well, John," he said, as he looked me over critically, "I guess I might as well get ready to pay over that $25,000, for I don't see where Corbett has a chance."

"You can make arrangements for a running race," said "Honest John" Kelly to me, "for that is to be Corbett's plan of fight."

"All right," I said. "I know that he is a better sprinter than I am, but I will get him sooner or later. I don't propose to wear myself out chasing him around the ring. I will stand in the ring and wait for him to fight. If he does not use the scratch the referee will have a chance to remind him of the rules governing such contests."

Refuses to See Reporters.

Shortly after I had been fixed with comfortable quarters scores of newspaper men called on me, but it was decided by my managers that I should not see any of the reporters, as the newspapers of New Orleans roasted the life out of me. I had to stand for that all right because I was not to be seen. Everybody thought that the best plan, and I told them that I would stand for it. As a rule I was always glad to see the reporters, and I used to round up for something that I could not help netting me considerably.

Among the characters who arrived in New Orleans was "One-Eyed" Connelly. That fellow never missed a big prize fight, and it has never been recorded that he ever bought a ticket to see one. However, he never bought a railroad ticket in his life. Arriving in New Orleans, this queer character began talking around that I would be licked and he made himself unpopular with some of my friends. In fact, he came near getting in a fight with Bat Shelby. Charles bar for offering some of his opinions.

I was so confident of winning this fight with Corbett that it never occurred to me until the day before I entered the ring that I had staked every cent I had in the world on the contest. There was a total of $40,000 staked on the result of the world tour. If I should lose—it did not occur to me at that time—I would not have a thing left in the world. After having made fully a half million dollars during my career, here I was risking every cent I had left on a fight with this young fellow from California. There was no room in my mind for fear, and I did not for a moment think of the rocky roads ahead.

"It is to be my last fight," I said to my friends. "I don't

Sport.

L. LANDS IN
D LOUISIANA

Preparations for His
with Corbett, the
of His Career,

S ALL ON SCRAP.

to the Last He Would
e Young California
onder Easily.

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mpion is defeated there are al-
ds of losers who will imme-
eports to the effect that he was
rained and that he did not take
f. I want to say here that I
d for my fight with Corbett,
ment issued by Dr. Dudley Sar-
mining me will prove it. I had
up my mind that the Corbett
my last and I directed all my
rd winning.
rained me for that fight, and
ed by Charley Johnston, my
er. Johnston and Jim Wakely
f the money for me.
th the young Californian was
on Sept. 6, and on the morning
party took the train for New
ad much difficulty all the way,
ered several hours. I had made
for a baggage car in which I
d keep in condition. This car
ed at Buffalo, and we encoun-
ouble and delay in getting ab-
was finally arranged and we
ray south.
was filled with sporting men
rk, and there was something
minute from the time we left
l we arrived at the picturesque
city. Among those who were
e time were Phil Casey, Dan
y Carroll, and Jack Ashton.
my side throughout the trip.

ames Day and Night.

ran all day and night on the
y now and then reports would
train as to some big jackpot
been won.
t in the baggage car, and was
shape when the journey was
was in bed when we arrived
lss., the place where I whipped
e place where I had so much
e officers of the law.
out of the window I saw that
ople had gathered at the sta-
well, and I had to stick my head
ow d'ye do."
great crowd to meet me at the
expressed the greatest surprise
condition. Mr. Noel, president of
was one of the first to greet me.
he said, as he looked me over
eas I might as well get ready to
,000, for I don't see where Corbett

ke arrangements for a purse
onest John" Kelly to me, "for
bett's plan of fight."
said. "I know that he is a better
man, but we will get to him sooner
'll propose to wear myself and
und the ring. I will stand in the
r him to fight. If he does not toe
referee will have a chance to re-
rules governing such contests."

to See Reporters.

had been fixed with comfortable
of newspaper men called on me,
by my managers that I should
eive a result of that one of the after-
New Orleans roasted the life out
stand for that all right because
seen. Everybody thought that
I told them that I would stick
I was always glad to see them, and
be roasted for something that I
ttled me considerably.
cters who arrived in New Orleans
Connelly. That fellow never
ise fight and it has never once
ever bought a ticket to see one
ver bought a railroad ticket in his
New Orleans, this queer char-
around that I would be licked.
chief unpopular with some of my
he came near getting in a fight
s bar for offering some of his

nt of winning this fight with Cor-
occurred to me until the day be-
ring that I had risked every cent
on the contest. There was a bat
us and the purse was for $25,000.
did not occur to me at that time
a thing left in the world. After
a half million dollars during my
risking every cent I had left on
young fellow from California. I
ening, however, that I did not for
ke records ahead.
last fight," I said to my friends.
any trouble in winning it, and I
a champion who held his position
I had never tasted defeat in my
ost imagine how it would be
oung man to walk up and rob me

ent to the well once too often, as
the next story. I was toppling
ater and did not know it.
ontinued tomorrow.)

BES IN TWO FIGHTS.

en Rounds with Abe At-
N. Y., and O'Toole Six
in Philadelphia.

., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—Harry Forbes
y to fight Abe Attal ten rounds
They will weigh in at ringside at
match made for Forbes was
with Tom O'Toole, the bantam-
sylvania. The fight will take
al Athletic club in Philadelphia
Stanton Forbes' victory over Cantor
C. on Monday for the bantam
Chicago boy has put in a claim
4 says he is ready to defend it

TO HEAR JOHNSON.

ncement That Fighter Is
ings Michigan Aggies
Force to Church.

Feb. 16.—[Special.]—For years
students at the morning services
Michigan Agricultural college has
scanty. Yesterday afternoon
a lot of printed posters on the
ing that Jack Johnson would
chapel this morning at the regu-
ces. As a result the chapel was
ities. But Jack was far away.

ulon to Tour East.

., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—Johnny
ight champion of the world, who
fight in New Orleans for some
endrick of England on Saturday,
er of the fighter, has mapped out
e east for his protégé.

yan Beats Clarke.

Feb. 16.—[Special.]—Jack Ryan
knocked out Jesse Clarke of De-
tonight. Clarke was saved by
Detroit fighter got by in fair
h round. In that period he was

ights Fred Kelly.

Feb. 16.—Joe Seiger had the
lly in a six round bout at the
ght. Seiger forced the fighting
t.

to Throw De Rouen.

Cutler failed in his agreement
Rouen, the French wrestler, in
night at the Empire and lost

t Drowns Harvard.

n., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—Yale
arvard tonight in the first dual
held here between the old rivals.
ming events by a score of 44 to
ater polo game, 7 to 1. Robert
ew York city, Yale, 1912, scored
the plunge for distance. The
dicated the new Yale swimming
0,000. About $30,000 was given
e.

BROAD BULL MART IN WHEAT

Crop Damage News Floods Pit with Heavy Buying Orders.

PATTEN FIRM STARTS RALLY

Country Longs Boost Corn Values; Oats and Provisions Are Strong.

Country buying accompanying a multitude of crop damage reports swept the wheat market away from the local professionals yesterday and carried prices up to the highest level in several weeks. After the early offerings had been absorbed by commission houses, Bartlett-Patten started buying on a heavy scale, and were followed by the pit traders and local bulls. The opening was about steady, but it was at once apparent that offerings were light and a sharp rally ensued in the first few minutes. On the bulge to $1.13 for May, however, there was plenty of wheat for sale for a time, weakening the market. Later it fimed up sharply, and from the time the Patten house started buying there was a continually advancing market, final quotations showing he gains of 1¼@1⅝c to 2c.

General Trade Is Active.

The general trade was the broadest in many months, with outside buying orders predominating, and crop news furnishing about the only bullish incentive. The Bartlett-Patten buying was estimated at between 2,000,000 and 3,000,000 bu, mostly the May, and was generally regarded as being long stuff, as it was not the general opinion that the house was short. The possibility that Patten was more sympathetic with the advance was a big factor, and induced renewed buying just when the market appeared to be lagging under the pressure of realizing sales. In addition to the buying mentioned there was heavy buying by Clement-Curtis, who were earlysellers, Shearson-Hammill, Barrell, Ware-Leland, Hulburd-Warren-Chandler, Logan-Bryan, Cutten, and Lake, Marfield, Peavey, Pardridge, and Harris-Winthrop sold early. The strength of the southwestern markets was a big influence on the bull side, as the buying there was supposed to reflect the damage to the crop.

Damage Reports Convince Trade.

Some of the most conservative houses in the trade are now convinced there has been considerable damage to wheat, with the possibility there will be much more in the next few weeks. Practically every concern with wires to the southwest and through Illinois had many reports, the unanimity of which was startling. Some of the reports looked extreme, the damage in some instances being placed at 60 to 75 per cent. Other estimates ranged from 10 to 50 per cent. In eastern Kansas and parts of southern Nebraska reports were regarded the most serious, and if half the damage claimed has been sustained there will be a crop calamity in some counties. Missouri and Illinois contributed their full quota to the total, and even Michigan and Iowa are sending in many dispatches claiming serious injury.

Crop News All Bullish.

While the crop reports were bullish enough to suit the most fastidious bull, other news developments of the day were bearish. The foreign situation is about as bearish as a good one can be. Bradstreet's forecasted a bearish summary of the conditions, saying that supplies in Russia, Australia, Indian, and Argentina promised to be excessive later in the season. It is expected Germany will remove the restrictions against Canadian wheat soon. Liverpool closed ¼@1¼d lower. The export demand for Manitoba wheat and durums was quiet and prices out of line. Winnipeg was inclined to lag a little behind domestic markets. The cash demand was slow in all the winter wheat markets, and it was stated by some brokers that the leading holder of cash winter wheat was ready to sell part of his wheat at present prices. Receipts here were 29 cars, with 8 cars expected today.

Primary receipts were 588,000 bu compared to 419,000 bu a year ago. Minneapolis wheat stocks increased 350,000 bu for four days. Country offerings in both the winter wheat territory and in the northwest were light. Export clearances of wheat and flour were 148,000 bu.

Country Big Buyer of Corn.

Corn was influenced by the marked strength in wheat, and even more by the continued country buying, which appears to be steadily increasing. Offerings were heavy at times, but there was no cessation of the buying orders, commission houses in general having numbers of small orders. Shorts in May continued to buy the July, and there was also free buying of that month for country account. Barrell was about the best buyer. Clement-Curtis sold May and Bartlett-Patten brokers also sold that month, but both were fair buyers of the July. Final prices were ¾@1⅛c up. Cash corn was ½@1c up, with a good demand, and country reports indicated light farm sales with prospective smaller receipts. Liverpool was ½d higher. Primary receipts were 1,093,000 bu, against 582,000 bu a year ago. Local run was 467 cars, with 275 cars promised for today. Shipping sales were 130,000 bu. Weather conditions are favorable.

Firm Tone in Oats Mart.

As in other cereals, country buying was a big factor in oats. The market was irregular, however, final quotations being unchanged to ⅛c up. Pringle-Wing, Canby, Knight-McDougal and Press were buyers. Selling was scattered. Cash prices were ¼@1½c up, with shipping sales of 145,000 bu. Receipts at western points were 606,000 bu, against 380,000 bu a year ago. Arrivals at Chicago were 100 cars. Estimate for today, 82 cars. The eastern demand is fair.

Late Bulge in Hog Products.

Provisions were about steady during the greater part of the session but firmed up near the close and finished with sharp gains. Pork was 20@30c higher; corn 15@20c up; and oats 17½@22½c better. Hately was a fair buyer of lard and Gregson was an early purchaser of ribs. Receipts of hogs were liberal at 37,000 with 29,000 expected today. The market closed strong at the yards. The cash demand was called fair.

Quiet Session in Rye.

Rye was quiet. There were no fresh receipts on the market. May closed nominally at 80c. No. 2 was quoted 81c, No. 3, 75@80c and No. 4, 65@75c.

Barley was ½c to 1c higher. Malting was quoted 67½@73½c, mixing, 66½@67½c and screenings, 40@67½c. Receipts were estimated at 46 cars.

Timothyseed was unchanged. No. 1 northwestern closed at $2.18 and No. 1 southwestern, $2.08. Receipts 1 car.

Timothyseed was easy. March was offered at $4.05. Country lots, $2.50@3.50. Clover-seed was 15c higher. March closed at $14.00 nominal. Country lots, $9.00@13.00.

Range of Active Futures.

WHEAT.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Closing—Feb. 16.	Feb. 15.
May	1.13¼@¼	1.14¾@¾	1.12⅝	1.14¾	1.12⅝
July	1.03⅝@¾	1.05	1.03⅜	1.04¾	1.02⅝
Sept	96¾	1.00⅜	96¾	1.00⅜	99¾

CORN.

May	67¾@¾	68¼	67¼	68¼@¾	67⅜
July	67¾@¾	68¾	67¾	68¾	67⅝
Sept	67¾@¾	68¾	67¾	68¾	67⅝

OATS.

May	47¾	48¾	47¾	48¾@¾	47⅜
July	43¾@¼	44¼	43¾	44¼	43⅜
Sept	41¼	41¾	41¼	41¾	41¼

MESS PORK.

May	22.22½	22.60	22.22	22.55	22.32½
July	22.35	22.62½	22.32½	22.57½	22.32½

LARD.

May	12.02½	12.75	12.02½	12.72½	12.07½
July	12.30	12.70	12.45	12.67½	12.47½

SHORT RIBS.

May	12.20	12.40	12.17½	12.40	12.17½
July	12.17½	12.35	12.12½	12.32½	12.17½

Prices at Outside Markets.

WHEAT.

	May—			July—		
	High.	Low.	Close.	High.	Low.	Close.
New York	1.21⅝	1.20¾	1.21⅝	1.13¼	1.11¾	1.12¾
St. Louis	1.14⅜	1.12¾	1.14⅜	1.06⅜	1.04⅝	1.06⅜
Toledo	1.14⅜	1.12¾	1.14⅜	1.07⅜	1.05⅝	1.07⅜
Duluth	1.14⅜	1.13¾	1.14⅜	1.14⅜	1.13¾	1.14⅜
Minneapolis	1.14⅜	1.13¾	1.14⅜	1.16⅜	1.15¾	1.16⅜
Kansas City	1.05¾	1.04¾	1.05¾	97¾	96¾	97¾
Toledo	1.20½	1.17¾	1.20½	1.07⅝	1.06¼	1.07⅝
Baltimore	1.21⅛	1.19¾	1.21⅛			

CORN.

New York	70¾	70¾	70¾	77¾	76¾	77¾

INTERESTING TRADE GOSSIP ON CHANGE.

Crop damage reports fairly flooded the wheat market yesterday, and the most significant thing in this connection was that they were almost uniformly accompanied by buying orders. People in the southwest who have been inclined to regard the reports as unreliable now state that from reports from their own traveling men serious injury is not to be questioned. The last two or three days the weather has been more unfavorable than any time yet. Kansas City reported that from 60 above the temperature fell over night to 4 above, with practically no snow covering, and with the roots of the wheat in many fields exposed as the result of heaving. A report from Hall-Baker of Kansas City was influential in causing the late buying. This firm has been skeptical of any damage up to yesterday, but a late message from them said: "We have three men out covering Kansas. They are reporting considerable damage in the first two hundred miles west of the river, but say there is little damage in the west half of the state. We are afraid we will have to believe in this damage. It is caused by heaving. The roots are sticking out of the ground in some places." Another Kansas City message 40 Logan-Bryan said: "Cash houses say their mail is full of damage reports, many saying close examination shows the wheat plant, root and all, to be dead. It is too early to say how much damage has taken place, but there is entirely too much smoke to be no fire." W. P. Anderson & Co. had a number of bad reports, and there were also numerous messages to Ware-Leland, Barrell, Bennett, and other firms confirming previous reports. Parties advising damage in this state sent buying orders in almost every instance, and the aggregate buying was of a heavy volume. Michigan and Iowa are also sending in many crop injury claims, and Pearce, Neb.,

SHORT COVERING AIDS STOCKS

Limited Number of Shares Show Advances in Prices.

READING GAINS 3 POINTS.

So-Called Specialties Affected by Buying for Investment.

[NEW YORK TIMES FINANCIAL LEADER.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—[Special.]—The further rise in prices on the stock exchange today was due in part to urgent short coverings in a limited number of issues, the sharp advances in which has their natural influence on other sections of the list, and in part also to the replacement of investment lines of securities by institutions and individuals of importance.

In Reading, where the rise amounted above three points and the trading to nearly one-third of the day's entire business, the covering of short contracts was the main factor. Reports of approaching extra distributions of one sort and another on the stock and a simultaneous advance in Reading second preferred were also offered as an explanation for the disproportionate strength and activity of the stock, but it is probable such stories were rather the effect than the cause of the movement.

Specialties Are Affected.

A number of so-called specialties, including Gas stocks, Agricultural Chemical, American Cotton Oil, and the Equipment issues were directly affected by investment buying, and exceedingly favorable annual statements from other concerns engaged in the same lines of business, together with prompt and categorical denials from executives of industrial companies generally of the recent reports of declining trade.

The declaration of substantially larger dividends by the "Soo" railroad and the Quincy Mining company, a large copper producer, also supplied convincing evidence of full business. In only one item of the day's news was there to be found anything of an unfavorable character. Reporting on our foreign trade for the month of January, the bureau of statistics noted an increase of $30,000,000 in imports over the same figures of January, 1909, and an accompanying decrease of $12,600,000 in exports. The balance of trade in our favor—the excess of exports for the month—was only $10,750,000, against $53,136,000 in January, 1909. This excess is the smallest for any January since 1896, and the exhibit, as a whole, with its proof of a persistent disordered foreign trade situation, is undeniably unsatisfactory.

Stock Exchange Bill a Factor.

It is perhaps not out of place to call attention here to a bill introduced at Albany today having for its purpose the regulation of operations of so-called "specialists" on the stock exchange. Many flaws may be picked in this measure as it stands, but it illustrates the present attitude of people throughout the country toward the exchange and should not be ignored. Specifically, it exemplifies the distrust, to be found even in Wall street, of the powers committed to the hands of specialists and generally it signalizes the intention of the legislature or members thereof to bring about the reform which Gov. Hughes' committee fairly inferred the stock exchange would itself effect if granted time.

In some respects the stock exchange has justified the confidence of the Hughes committee, but in others it has altogether failed to do so, and it is time that it undertook full performance of its plain duties in this respect.

Money on call easy, 2½@3 per cent; ruling rate, 2½; closing bid, 2½; offered at 3; time loans steady and dull; sixty days, 2¾ per cent, and ninety days, 3; six months, 3¼@3½. Close: Prime mercantile paper, 4½@5 per cent; sterling exchange firm with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.84.30@4.84.40 for sixty day bills and at 4.86.50 for demand; commercial bills, 4.83½@4.84; bar silver, 51¼; Mexican dollars, 44; government bonds firm; railroad bonds irregular.

NEW YORK STOCK TRANSACTIONS.

Description.	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close. 10.	Close. Feb. 9.
Amal. Cop.	85,100	70	70¾	69¾	70¼	69½
Am. Agr. Chem.	1,100	44½	46	44¾	46	.....
Am. Beet Sugar.	1,400	37½	38¾	37½	38¾	38½
Am. Can.	100	11½	11¾	11½	11¾	11¾
Do pfd	600	76¾	76¾	76¾	76¾	76¾
Am. Car Fdy.	1,700	60½	62	60	62	60½
Am. Cot. Oil.	2,200	44¼	45¼	44¼	45¼	44¾
Am. Hide & L. pfd.	200	37½	37½	37½	37½	37½
Am. Linseed pfd.	200	38¼	38¼	38¼	38¼	38
Am. Loco.	1,900	48¾	50	48¾	50	49¾
Am. Malt.	300	7	7	7	7	7
Do pfd	1,200	40¾	42	40¾	42	40¾
Am. Smelting	17,000	82	85¾	81¾	85¾	82¾
Do pfd	300	107	107	107	107	107
Am. Steel Fdrs.	500	58½	58½	58¼	58½	58½
Am. Sugar.	200	122	122½	122	122½	123
Am. T. & T.	1,700	137	137	135¾	136½	136¾
Am. Tob. pfd.	100	95¾	95¾	95¾	95¾	95¾
Am. Wool	200	34	35	34	35	35
Anaconda	7,100	40½	41¼	40	41	40½
Atchison	6,700	114¾	115¾	114¼	115¼	114¾
Do pfd	200	105¾	105¾	105¾	105¾	105¾
A. C. Line	500	128	129	128	129	128¾
B. & Ohio	1,200	110½	111¾	110½	111¾	111
Beth. Steel	300	28¾	29	28¾	29	28¾
Do pfd.	200	54	55½	54	55½	.....
B. R. Transit.	5,300	79	81¾	78¾	81¾	81¾
B. U.	1,900	154	161	154	160	158
Can. Pac.	2,100	180¾	181¾	180¾	181¾	180¾
Cent. of N. J.	300	290	290	290	290	.....
Cent. Leather.	5,100	39½	39½	38¾	39¼	39¼
C. & Ohio.	7,900	83¾	84½	83½	84¼	83¾
C. G. W. new.	700	30¾	31	30¾	31	30¾
Do pfd.	200	55	55¾	55	55¾	54½
C. M. & St. P.	7,000	144½	145¾	144½	145¾	145
Do pfd.	200	162¾	162¾	162¾	162¾	162
C., St. P. M. & O.	100	160	160	160	160	158
C. & N. W.	1,500	156¼	157¼	156¾	157¼	157
C. F. & I.	1,800	37½	38	37	38	37¾
Colo. Southern.	2,200	64¼	66	64¼	65¾	64¾
Col. H. C. & I.	200	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾	19
*Con. Gas.	11,400	145	146¾	145	146¾	144½
Corn Prod.	800	18¾	18¾	18¾	18¾	18¾
Do pfd.	100	82	82	82	82	82½
Del. & Hudson.	2,400	170	172	170	172	171
D. & R. G.	100	174	174	174	174	174
Do pfd.	300	89½	90¾	89½	90¾	90
Dis. Sec.	1,300	21½	22¼	21½	21¾	22
D. S. S. & A. pfd.	300	23½	24¼	23½	24¼	24
Erie.	2,300	25½	26¼	25½	26¼	25¾
Do 1st pfd.	1,000	45¾	46¾	45¾	46¾	46
Do 2d pfd.	300	34¾	35¾	34¾	35¾	35
Gen. Chem.	200	107½	109¾	107½	109¾	.....
Gen. Elec.	300	164¾	165¾	164¾	165¾	163¾
Gt. Nor. ore	1,100	70¾	71	70¾	71	70¾
Gt. Nor. pfd.	2,200	128¾	130¾	128¾	130¾	130¼
Gt. Cent.	300	142¾	143¾	142¾	143¾	142
Int. Harv.	600	118	121	118	121	121
Do pfd.	100	121	121	121	121	.....
Int. Met.	18,100	22¾	23	20¾	21¾	20¾
Do pfd.	1,100	57¾	58¾	57¾	58¾	57¾
Int. Paper	1,600	13¾	14¾	13¾	14¾	13¾
Do pfd.	600	64¾	65¾	64¾	65¾	64¾
Ia. Cent.	200	23	23	23	23	23
Do pfd.	300	67¾	67¾	67¾	67¾	67
K. C. Southern.	3,500	36½	38¼	36½	38¼	37
Do pfd.	400	69	69	69	69	.....
Lackaw. Gas.	1,500	300	300	300	300	300
L. & Nash.	900	146¾	149¾	146¾	149¾	149¾
Lor. Marine pfd.	300	19¾	20	19¾	20	19¾
M. & O.	200	47	47	47	47	47
M., St. P. & S. S. M.	4,000	139	144¾	138½	143¾	139¾
M. K. & T.	10,000	42¾	44¾	42¾	44¾	42¾
Do pfd.	300	73¾	75¾	73¾	75¾	73¾
Mo. Pacific.	3,900	70	71¾	69¾	71¾	69¾
Nat. Lead.	900	80¼	80¾	78¾	80¾	80¾
Nat. R. R. of Mex.						
2d pfd.	200	27	27	27	27	.....
New Cent. Coal.	100	52¼	52¾	52¼	52¾	.....
N. Y. Air B.	100	78	78	78	78	78
N. Y. Cent.	7,300	119	119¾	118¾	119¾	119¼
N. Y. C. & St. L.						
2d pfd.	100	89¼	90¼	89½	90½	.....
N. Y., N. H. & H.	200	180¾	180¾	180¾	180¾	180
Do 1st paid.	100	148	148	148	148	.....
N. Y. O. & W.	2,000	45	45¾	45	45¾	44¾
Nor. & West.	1,700	101	102	100¾	101¾	101¾
Nor. Am.	300	74½	75	74½	75	75
Nor. Pac.	2,000	135¾	138¾	135¾	138¾	136
Pac. Coast.	200	107½	108	106	108	106
Pac. Mail.	300	39¼	39¾	39¼	39¾	39¾
Pac. T. & T.	500	39	39¾	39	39	39
Pennsylvania.	9,000	132¾	133¾	132¾	133¾	132¾
Peo. Gas.	2,500	104¾	106¾	104¾	106¾	106½
Pitts. & Eastern.	300	22	22	22	22	.....
Phila. Co.	2,100	101	103	101	103	103
Pitts. C. & St. L.	300	97¾	97¾	97¾	97¾	97¾
Pitts. Coal.	700	20¾	20¾	20¾	20¾	20¾
Do pfd.	1,000	71¾	73¾	71¾	73¾	72
Pressed Car.	100	41¼	41¼	41¼	41¼	41
Do pfd.	300	102	102	102	102	102
Ry. Steel Spgs.	300	40¾	41	40¾	41	40¾
Reading.	230,700	163	166½	163	166	163¾
Do 2d pfd.	2,200	107¾	110¾	107¾	110	109¾
Rep. I. & S.	4,000	38¼	41	38¼	40¾	39¾
Do pfd.	1,600	101	102	101	102	101¼
Rock Island.	11,300	26	27¾	26	27¾	26¾
Do pfd.	1,500	54¾	57	54¾	57	54¾
St. L. & S. F. 2d pfd.	900	46¼	46	46¼	46¼	46¼
St. L. & S. W.	300	28¾	29	28¾	29	28¾
Do pfd.	500	64¾	64¾	64¾	64¾	64¾
Sloss Sheff.	300	73¾	73¾	73¾	73¾	73½
So. Pacific.	16,000	124¾	126¾	124¾	126¾	126¾
So. Rwy.	300	25¾	25¾	25¾	25¾	25¾
Do pfd.	200	67	67	67	67	64½
Tenn. Cop.	400	39¾	39¾	39¾	39¾	39¾
Tex. Pac.	2,700	29¾	30¾	29¾	30¾	29¾
Third Ave.	2,800	107	107	107	107	107
Tol., St. L. & W.	300	43¾	44	43¾	44	43¾
Do pfd.	300	65¾	65¾	65¾	65¾	65¾
Twin City.	300	112¾	112¾	112¾	112¾	112
Un. Bag.	100	10¾	10¾	10¾	10¾	.....
Do pfd.	100	70	70	70	70	.....
Un. Pac.	37,200	183¾	185¾	183¾	184¾	183¾
Do pfd.	300	93¾	93¾	93¾	93¾	93¾
U. S. Pipe.	300	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾	25
Un. Dry Goods.	300	120	120	119¾	119¾	.....
Do pfd.	200	110¾	110¾	110¾	110¾	.....
U. S. Express.	100	115	115	115	115	.....
United Inv.	500	31	31	30¾	30¾	30¾
Do pfd.	200	67¼	67¼	67	67	67
U. S. Rubber.	1,500	42¾	43¾	42¾	43¾	43
Do 1st pfd.	900	111¾	112	111	112	111¾
U. S. Steel.	83,100	79¾	80¾	79¾	80¾	80¾
Do pfd.	1,000	116¾	116¾	116¾	116¾	116¾
Utah Cop.	2,200	40¾	40¾	40¾	40¾	40
Va. Chem.	7,700	65¾	66¾	65¾	66¾	64¾
Do pfd.	300	44	44	44	44	44
Wabash.	1,100	21¾	21¾	21¾	21¾	22
Do pfd.	4,800	46¾	47¾	46¾	47¾	46¾

IN PHILADELPHIA.

Lehigh Valley.	4,711	100¾	102¼	100¾	102¼	.....

EXPRESS STOCKS.

Adams	242	235	United States.	115
American	275	230	Wells-Fargo	185

GOVERNMENT BONDS.

	Bid.	Asked.
United States 2s, registered	100½	101
United States 2s, coupon	100½	101
United States 3s, registered	102	103¼
United States 3s, coupon	102	103¾
United States 4s, registered	114½	115¼
United States 4s, coupon	114¾	115¼
United States Panama 2s, registered	100	101
United States Panama 2s, coupon	100	101

NEW YORK BOND TRANSACTIONS—10 A. M. TO 3 P. M.

$ 1,000	Argentine 5s of 1886	97½	3000	Kan & Mich 1st 4s	91¼	
2000	Jap 4s	92¼	8000	K C So 3s	73¼	
16000	do 1st 4½s	102¼@¾	9000	do 5s	102¼@¾	
1000	do 2d 4½s	95	1000	Kings Co El & P 5s	112	
9000	Cuban 4½s	98¼	18000	Lack Steel 5s	104¾	
15000	N Y C 4s 1998	100¼	1000	L & W 2d 5s	100¼	
9000	do 4s 1969	100¼	1000	L S & M S 3½s	94¼	
24000	do 4s 1930 reg	100¾	3000	do 4s 1931	94½	
18000	do 4½s 1967	113¾@¼	2000	Lehigh & W Sal 4½s	100¾	
11000	do 4½s 1967 new	109¼@¾	2000	L & N uni 4s	96¾	
2000	Adams Ex col 4s	92¾	2000	Manhattan 4s	90¼@¾	
4000	Al & Sus 5s	97½	4000	Met St Ry 1st 4s	89½	
15000	Allis Chal 1st 5s	80@81	6000	Met St Ry cts 4s stamped	80	
6000	Am H & L 5s	100¼@¾	2000	Mich Cen 1st 8½s	130	
17000	Am T & T cv 4s	102@¼	2000	do 4s	93¾	
1000	do col 4s	91¾	1000	M L S & W 1st 5s	111¾	
411000	Am Tob 4s	84¼	1000	M K & T 4s	84½	
		77¼@81¼	1000	do ref 4s	84¼	
2000	do 4s reg	80¾	1000	do 4½s	89¾	
158000	do 6s	104¼@105	2000	Mob & O gen 4s	83¼	
4000	Armour 4½s	93¾	2000	Nat R H Mex 4s	81¾@84	
15000	Atch gen 4s	100¾@¾	2000	Nat Rys Mex prior 4½s	86	
2000	do adj 4s	94½@¾	5000	N Y C 3½s	80¼	
14000	do cv 4s	115¾@116	16000	do 4s	95¾@¼	
2000	do cv 5s	117½	2000	N Y C & L 3½s	80	
16000	A. C. L. col 4s	94@¾	2000	do M C 3½s	81	
7000	B & O 5½s	92¾	27000	N Y O & W 4s	83½	
2000	do R & P 5s	100¾	2000	N Y N H & H 4s	85¼	
2000	do S W 3½s	89¾	38000	do cv 3½s	104¼@103	
9000	Beth Steel 5s	87	31000	N Y Tel 4½s	96¼@¾	
26000	B R T 4s	81¼	5000	Norf & W cons 6s	130¾	
7000	B U Ry 4½s	100¼	3000	do div 4s	92¾	
12000	Buf Gas 5s	96¾	35000	do cv 6s	105¾	
8000	Can So 2d 5s	101¾	8000	Nor Pac 3s	73¼@¾	
3000	Cent Leather 5s	99¼@¾	40000	do prior 4s	104¾@¾	
1000	Cent Pac 1st ref 4s	97½	48000	do ref 4s	95¼@¾	
3000	Cen R R N J 5s	124¾	71000	Nor Sec 1st 4s	87¾@¼	
1000	C & O 4½s	102¾	5000	Un Pac 4s	101¾	
20000	do 5s	114¾	47000	do cv 4s	109¼@¾	
4000	C B & Q deb 4s	101¾	27000	do ref 4s	97¾	
4000	do reg 4s	100¾	27000	Un R R & I 4s	77¼@72	
2000	do Neb ext 4s	99¾	12000	U S Rub 6s	108	
27000	Erie cv 4s	97¾@¾	48000	US S 5s	104¾@105	
21000	do cv 4s B	77¼@78¼	1000	Va Mind 5s	100¾	
		79¾@82	71000	Und Lon 4½s	85¾@¼	
11000	do gen 4s	75@76¾	5000	Un Pac 4s	101¾	
5000	do prior 4s	94¼@¾	47000	do cv 4s	109¼@¾	
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1-16		Mo., Kas. & Tex.	24½
10½		New York Central	128
11½		Do	128½
113¾		Ontario & West	47¾
146½		Pennsylvania	130¾
80½		Rapid Mines	2¾
19¾		Reading	161¾
41		Southern Ry.	29¾
82		Do pfd	70½
29		Southern Pacific	123¾
146½		Union Pacific	157¾
36		Do pfd	93½
24		United States Steel	61¾
14		Do pfd	121¾
23 15-16		Wabash	12¾
90		Do pfd	31¾
		Spanish Fours	97½

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WILL USE FIGURES TO BOMBARD DRYS

Wets Have Bureau to Spread Statistics of What They Call Prohibition Evils.

NO ATTACK ON PETITION.

Anti-Saloon People Will Ask Churches to Set Aside a Sunday as Day of Protest.

Figures are to form the main reliance of the liquor interests in their fight against a "dry" Chicago, according to Nathan A. Cole, director of publicity and organization of the United States Manufacturers and Merchants' association, which has taken charge of the campaign for the "wets."

A statistical bureau has been established at campaign headquarters in the Teutonic building, and Hugo Grosser, former city statistician, has been placed in charge. It will be his particular business to prepare statements showing what the liquor people call the evil results of prohibitory laws in other cities. These statements will form a part of the educational literature that will be sent out.

Mr. Cole stated yesterday that the attempt of the local option advocates to disqualify saloonkeepers and bartenders as election officers was not viewed as a serious matter.

Calls Opponents Narrow Minded.

"To characterise these men who have been mentioned as not being of 'good repute and character' without any further proof than that they are in the liquor business is in full accord with the narrow policy of our opponents," he said. "We are not endeavoring to dictate in the selection of judges and clerks of election. We will always advise against any fraud in the election or in the count of the ballots."

Mr. Cole declared that flagrant frauds had been discovered in the "drys'" petition, but said that no effort would be made to throw it out on that account. In this connection he made public the following extract from a letter he said he had received from a Buffalo physician:

"A party I just met stated that the prohibitionists had men on trains leaving Chicago who approached nonresidents to sign petitions. The party who was approached was from Wisconsin. Several names were secured from tourists."

Will Hold "Agitation Meeting."

The United societies will hold its first agitation meeting at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon in Teutonia Turner hall, Fifty-third street and Ashland avenue. There will be speeches in German and English by Emil Richter, Leopold Saltiel, Peter Wendling, Nicholas Michels, Cyril R. Jandus, A. J. Cermak, and Leopold Neumann. Tomorrow night in Schoenhofen hall, Milwaukee avenue, the west side delegate meeting of the United societies will be held.

The local option campaign committee, with headquarters in the Security building, is planning many public meetings, and the churches will be asked to set aside Sunday, Feb. 27, as a day to be devoted wholly to protest against the saloon.

"We are going to have public meetings in the theaters and union services in the churches from now until the day of election," said W. F. Mulvihill of the Chicago Law and Order league.

"And aside from this," he continued, "we are going to appoint 5,000 watchers for election day. Their business will be to remain at the polls and guard against fraud in the election and count of ballots."

R. T. CRANE BLAMES LAWYERS FOR HALF OF NATION'S CRIME.

"Humbug Judges and Juries and Keep Rascals Out of Jail," He Says —Also Scores the Doctors.

Richard T. Crane has added to his attacks upon the "educational evil"—this time against the legal and medical professions in the current issue of the Valve World, a trade journal issued by the Crane company. His previous tirades were directed against collegiate training for business, engineering schools, and agricultural colleges. In the latest article he says:

"One-half of all the crime, degradation, imposition, fraud, and corruption we find is due to the lawyers. This class of men make wholesale robbery and theft possible and have given to these crimes the air of respectability; they are the ones who humbug judges and juries.

"They stand like a stone wall between the great criminals and the public and enable the rascals to keep out of the penitentiary.

"The overcrowding of the legal profession is the chief cause of the cussedness of this line of education, the number of lawyers produced being so large they are obliged to resort to all sorts of dishonest measures in order to make a living.

"The overcrowding of the medical profession brings about conditions quite similar to those described in referring to the lawyers."

JURY INQUIRY REOPENS SOON.

State's Attorney's Office Reports "Interesting Discoveries" from a Study of "Discard" List.

The investigation of "discards" from the jury commissioners' office to determine why many persons have escaped service has been finished by State's Attorney Wayman and his assistants, it was said yesterday. Hearings by the committee of judges appointed to inquire into the charges made against the jury commissioners' office by the state's attorney will be resumed shortly.

John J. Holland, the jury commissioner who recently was acquitted of a charge of "jury fixing," will testify before the commission.

In the state's attorney's office it is said "interesting discoveries" have been made in the investigation of the "discard" lists, but details were not disclosed.

Petitions in Bankruptcy.

17438—Frank Fleck, butcher, Chicago; liabilities, $1,471.87; assets, $615. Attorney, Francis Huck.

17437—John Fraser, saloonkeeper, 531 Grant place; liabilities $3,251.36; assets, $2,140.40. Attorney, J. Henry Kraft.

17440—Frank J. Rozan, salesman, Chicago; liabilities, $636.21; assets, $25. Attorney, Adolph J. Rosenberg.

17441—Frank S. Ward, salesman, Oak Park, Ill.; liabilities, $2,500; assets, none. Attorney, Alfred W. Craven.

17442—Paul Damm, merchant, 520 Washington boulevard; liabilities, $3,920.35; assets, $250. Attorneys, McGoorty & Pollack.

17443—J. Herman Heide, merchant, 4031 North Paulina street; liabilities, $29.35; assets, $65. Attorneys, McGoorty & Pollack.

17444—Truman G. Bigbee, foreman, 1816 Wilcox avenue; liabilities, $400; assets, $224.75. Attorney, John A. Swanson.

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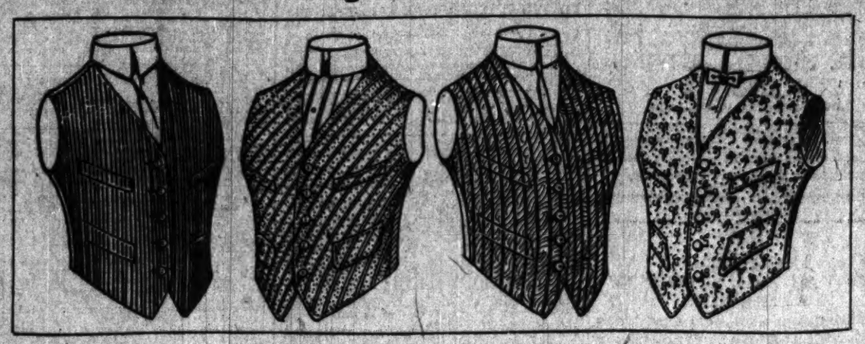

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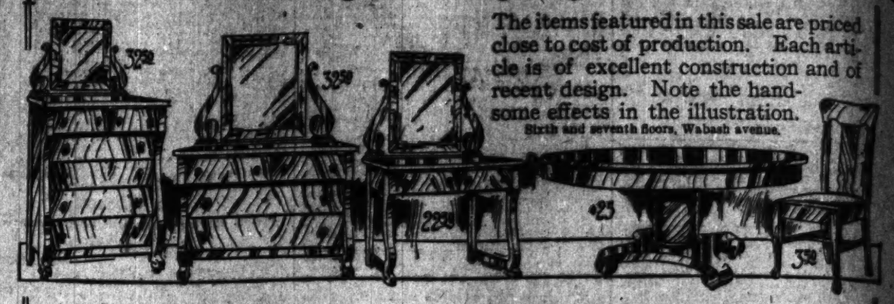

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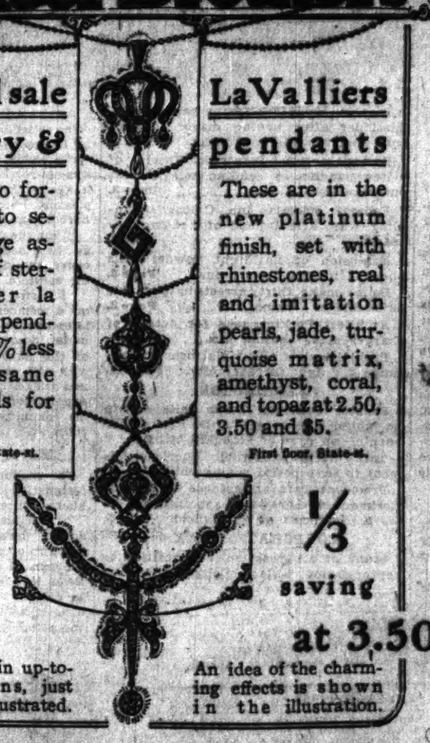

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